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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

'THORNDALE."

for the above Port shout the 30th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

"GLAUCUS."

 ${ t TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO$ 

EX O.S.S. CO'S ES. "MENELAUS."

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis

charged into Craft and/or landed at the

Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it

will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be

ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on

Goods undelivered after the Srd proximo will

be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must

"MOGUL" LILE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S. S. "MOGUL."

NANG AND SINGAPORE.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless

liter the 2nd November will be ambject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be pre-

cented to the undersigned on or before the 2nd

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

S. S. "MONMOUTHSHIRE."

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby re-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer

All claims against the steamer must be sent

ADAMSON BELL & Co.

will be at once landed and stored at Consignee's

risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be

CARACIE PLAISTED'S

"MY SWEETHEART"

COMPANY.

TO-NIGHT.

(TUESDAY) 28th OCTOBER.

OFFENBACH'S COMIC OPERA

"MADAME FAVART."

THURSDAY, 30th OCTOBER,

Repetition by Special request and

final Performance of

BELLINI'S GRAND OPERA

"LA SONNAMBULA."

With the kind Assistance of Mr. C. H. GRACE

and Chorus of Amateurs as before.

SATURDAY, Ist NOVEMBER.

OFFENBACH'S COMIC OPLEA

GIROFLE GIROFLA.

Box Plan at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The AMERICAN HUMORIET.

Has arrived

A FAREWELI PERFORMANCE,

Probably on

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 29th OCTOBER

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

CHAS. HARDING.

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

THEATRE

in immediately.

quested to send in their Bills of Lading

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

November, or they will not be recognised.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

BUT'I ERFIELD & SWIKE

FROM LIVERPOOL.

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THE Company's Steamship

Agents.

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BULLEAMITAL

BROTHERS OF CHINA

TADBURTS. GUARANTEED. ASSOLUTELY PURE DELICIOUS, NUTRITIOUS ALDBURY'S **~~**0000. EAST TO DIGEST CADBURY'S THE BEST BEVERAGE FOR TEOPICAL CLIMATES.

Tableids are supplied by all Chemists in bettles containing 25 and 100. 幾五十二百二零萬一第 No. 10,225 Communications respecting Advertisements, Sub-Daily Press " only, and special business matters 'The Manager." Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not redered for a fixed period will be continued until Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication. After that hour the supply is limited. Felegraphic Address Press. Telephone No. 12. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NOTICE. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. FINHE Steamship HAVE This Day resumed the Duties of Secretary of this Company.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Captain Johnson, will be despatched as above Secretary. Houghoug, 27th October, 1890.

on or about the 30th init. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED CHAREHOL) BRS are reminded that the ADJOUR ED SECOND HALF. YEARLY MEETING will take place TO. DAY, the 28th instant, at 4 P.M., at the Hong-KONG HOTEL, and the Adjourned Private Meeting at 3 P.M. By Order of the Board of Directors. Captain Hannah, will be despatched as above on J. A. BARRETTO, SATURDAY, the 1st prox. Scoretary. Hongkong, 28th October, 1890.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION FIGURE FECOND COMPETITION for the - Subscription CHALLENGE CUP and RANGE SPOONS will take place on SA-TURDAY Next, the 1st proxime, commencing CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the at 3.15 o'clock F.M. Ranges, 500 and 600 Yards, Undersigned not later than the 31st inst. 7 shots at each range. Entries for this Com- for shipment per steamer " \ YR. HIDON." petition to be made before 4 o'CLOCK FOR. on FRIDAY, the 31st inst. Entrance Fee. 30 cent. A Laurch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 3 o'clock p.m. FRANK COLLINS. for Hon. Sec.

Hongkong, 28th October, 1890. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Matter of the Estate of LAI W.

TOTICE is hereby given that His I ordship be left in the Godowns, where they will be exthe Chief Justice has, by virtue of Sec. amined at 11 a M., 4th proximo. tion 8 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting the time to the 25th day of November next, for Creditors to send in their Claims against the Estate of the late LAT WA who died on the 1st day of November, 1865, at Victoria aforesaid. And Notice is also given that all such Claims are to be sent in in writing to the Official Administrator on or before the said 25th day of November next, or notice will not be taken of them. All Persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make imme- FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PEdiate payment to the Undersigned. ▲ YONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inform-

Dated the 25th day of October, 1890. BRUCE SHEPHERD Official Administrator, at their risk, into the Godowns of the Rowloon Hongkong, 28th October, 1990. [2317] Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon. PUBLIC AUCTION.

IE Undersigned has been instructed by notice to the contrary be given before NOON Cloth. the SENIOR ORDNANCE STORE OFFICER, TO-DAY, the 27th instant. China, to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, the 28th day of October, 1890, at 11 A.M., At HER MAJESTY'S ORDNANCE STORES,

Queen's Road, Fast. The following Government Stores, etc. BRASS, COPPER, GUNMETAL, LEAD 2 Large Money SAFES, LAMPS, LINEN SHOVELS, JUNK, CANVAS, COTTON on W OLLEN RAGS, CAST and WROUGHT IRON STEEL, TIN, OLD FILES, CASKS, PACK-ING CASES, IRON DRUMS, SHOT, TACKLES, OLD TIMBER, LEATHER, &c. A Quantity of WORN OUT CLOTHING TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexi-

can Dollars Weighed 7.1.7. All Fault and Strong of description at Purchasers' risk on the fell of the Hammer. All Lots to be cleared FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneer a. to the undersigned for countersignature and to

2314 take immediate delivery of their Goods from Hongkong, 28th October, 1890. STEAM TO SHANGHAL THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "CLYDE," Captain J. L. Partitt. R. N.R., will leave for the

above place. TO-DAY, the 28th inst., at 3 P.M. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 28th October, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT. THE Company's Steamship

'MEMNON." Captain Dorff, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 29th inst., at 10 A.M. In future this or other steamer will ply between British North Borneo and Hongkong only, leaving Hongkong about every eighteen

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 27th October, 1890. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR TIENTSIN. THE Steamer

"KAIFONG," Captain Gyles, will be despatched TO-MOR! ROW, the 29th inst., at Noon. For Ereight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. HE Steamship

"NANZING."
Captain Hogg, will be despatched as above TO. MORROW, the 29th inst., at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., - Agents. Hougkong, 27th October, 1890.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL DIRECT.

HE Steamer "TAIWAN"

Captain Frampion, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 29th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL VIA AMOY.

(Taking Curgo and Passengers at through, rates for Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientein, HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship

"MYRMIDON," Captain Nelson, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 2nd prox. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWILE.

Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

Hongkorg, 27th October, 1890. PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. RS. FALCONER has vacancies for dereigned by November 1st.

Gentlemen Resident Boarders at Kowloon. |2311 - Longling, 10th January, 1890.

INTIMATIONS FOR NEW YORK TIA SUEZ CANAL. SCOTTISH LIPE OFFICE OF 64 YEARS

STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST

Etherington, Commander, will be despatched THE STANDARD has a long record of ADAMBON, BELL & Co., good services to refer to; its Funds, annually increasing, amount to £7,000,000 Stg.; the Premiums are moderate; and all modern features consistent with safety have "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. been adopted. ADAMSON BELL & Co., FOR SHANGHAL, KOBE, AND YOKO-1056-6a| Agenta, Hongkong.

> NOTIFICATION. BRITISH NORTH BORNEO AND LABUAN. REVENUE FARMS FOR 1891.

FINE GOVERNMENT are prepared to Receive TENDERS for the following FARMS BEDSTEADS. for 1891:---1.—The Opium Farm.—Including the sole right to import raw or manufactured Op um for consumption in the Colony of Labuan and its Dependencies, and in the tate or District of British North Bornso to which the Farm spylies. and to prepare and sell and or to license others to prepare and sell Opium, Chandoo, and Opium

The Regulations governing the Farm are contained in Labuan Ordinance No. 11. of 1878. adopted in British Nor: b Borneo, and in Notifleation No. 111, of 1889. -The Maximum retail prices allowed by the Regulations are as follows:-Taels. Chees. Hoons. 10.00 Not more 5.00 than 270 1.00 Chees can

0.50 be propared 0.02 J Opium. 2.—The Spirit Farm.—Including the sole right to import and to sell and or to license others to H R I S T M A S import and sell Chinese Wines and Spirituous Liquors of Chinese manufacture and the sole right to sell and to issue retail and wh lessle licenses to sell all other Wines. Beer, and Spirituous Liquors. The Farm is governed by Proclamations No VIII. of 1889, and III. of 1848.

3.—The Pawnbroking Farm.—Including the sole right to keep and or to license others to keep Pawnbroking Establishments. The Farm is governed by Labuar Ordinance No. III. of 1-68 as amended by Ordinages No. I. of 1872, and Notification No. 131, of 1889. 4.—The Gambling R striction Farm.—Includng the sole right to keep and or to license others to keep Gambling houses, and to issue permits to Gamble. The Farm is governed by Proclamations No. II. of 18-3 and VII. of 1889 and Notification No. 108 of 1889. It does not extend to Labuan. 5 - The Customs Farm .- Including the sole right to collect all Import and Export Duties payable to Government, viz:—On the East Coast

-Export Duties on Rattan, Gutta, Wax. Birdsed that all goods are being landed nest, Timber, and all jungle and sea produce. Import Duties on Tobacco, Spirits, Salt, and Matches. On the West Coast-Export Duties whence and/or from the wharves delivery may. -jungle and-sea-produce-the-same-as-for-East Coast District Import Duties on Salt. Spirits, Tobacco, Matches, Iron, Brass, and 6.—The Blackan Farm.—Including the sole No claims will be admitted after the Goods right to eatch shrimps and to manufacture

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining Blachan and or to license others to catch rimps and to manufacture Blachan. 7 .- The Birds-nest Farm, Darvel Bay -Including the sole right to collect the Government Share of 10 per cent, on all nests from Madai and Segalong Caves. A separate Tender must be submitted for each of the above Farms.

Each tender may be for one or more of the following Districts or places, and if the Farm of more than one of the Districts or piaces mentioned is applied for, a separate Tender shouldes submitted for each District or place, viz:-.-The whole State of British North Borneo,

extending from Sipitong River in Padas Bay on the West Coast to Sibusso Bay on the East Coast, and also the Colony of Laborn and its Dopendencies, as records the Opium Farm only. The East Coast District from Tanjong Inarutang to Sibucco Bay, including Darvel Labuk, Sugut, and Sandakan Bays, Kina-

batangan, Segama and all rivers within the District. The Simporna District from Simporna to Batu Tenagat. .-The West Coast District: from Tanjong Instituting on the North to Sipitong on the south, including Banguey and Balambangan Islands and also, the Colony of Labuan as

ragarda Opium only. -Kudut District.-From Tanjong Insrutang to Sampangmangio Point including a Rivers in sarudu Bay and the Islands of Banguey and Balambangan. Gaya District. From Sampangmangic Point to Bangawan River, including Tam passuk, Abai, Ambong, Sulaman, Tuaran Gaya Bay, Putatan, Papar, Kimanis and all Rivers south to and including Bangaway. .-Padas District -From Kwals Penyn to Sipitong, including Klies, Pades-Damit and Padas Beser and all Rivers south t Colony of Labran as regards Opinio only.

and including Sipitong; also including the 3.—The Colony of Labuan an its Dependencies: -For the Opium Farm only.

Each Tender should state the monthly payments for the year 1891. Tenders for the Opinin Farm for the whole State, and the Colony of Labuan, or for the 21; East Coast District, and for the Spirit, Pawn. broking, Gambling Restriction, and Customs Farms, East Coast or Sundakan, will be received by the GOVERNMENT SECRETARY, Sandakan, on or before 30th NOVEMBER, All Tenders should be under Seal and marked "Confidential" Tender for Revenue Farm." Tenders for the Farms for separate Provinces,

such as Kudat, Gaya, Padas, Darvel Bay, or Labuan will be received by the OFFICER-IN-CHARGE of the Province or Colony on or before \$4.75 15th of November. The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any Tender. Luch Tender should specify in full the Series E. The "Good old favourite." Persons tendering, and should give similar in- at the reduced price of \$2.70 each. formation as to the proposed securities. l'ersons who do not wish to Tender in their own Names may use a number of not less than 3 figures; but those, doing so should send their true Names with the number used in a separate

Envelope marked "Private" to the Governor at Government House. All Farms are subject to the Laws and Regulations now in force, or which may from time to time be enacted or issued by Government concerning the same. Any further information on the subject may be obtained from the Tressurer-General, Sandakan, or from the Officer-in-Charge of the different Districts or Stations and from the Com-

pany's Agents in Singapore or Hongkong.

By His Excellency's Command, L. P. HEAUFORT. GOVERNMENT SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Sandakan, 21st September, 1890.

"OLD CHELTONIAN" DINNER. All "O.C.'S" in China who can possibly date all Claims must be proved. attend, and to send in their names to the Un-requested to make Immediate Payments.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1890.

A. B. LEE. Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.

INTIMATIONS. THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE TAKIN COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1845. AND MOST PROGRESSIVE OF THE PROVI-Total Assets on let January, } £ 21,484,634

ESTABLISHED 1857.

HONGKONG, PUSSDAY, OCTOBBL STR 1890

DENT . INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED AMOUNT ASSURED ..... £101,978,714 SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE # 3,221,041 STEWDARD ... BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co. Agents, Hongkong. Hongkong, 28th July, 1890. THE MARINBURK FURNITURE

TAGE URTAINS.

Received an invoice of Lace Unrtains, 44 yds long and 60 inches wide, of the very latest patterns, from \$4.50 and upwards.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

BRASS & IRON BEDSTEAD # of all Sixes with the finest woven SPRING MATTRESSES ever brought into Hongkong, The Prices are, for the quality, much lower than any ever offered in this Colony. On view at our bales Rooms.

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PRANC'S Very Bandsome American Cards in Antograph Cards in Boxes with Envelopes to in Quaint Shapes. And a Choice Selection of the Newest Productions by the best English and Contin- Commodious Bedrooms, with separate Bathroom ental Makers.

By the next American Mail we expect to receive a further instalment of American Cards | CHARGE; for time table see Bills. and novelties of Japanese Manufacture. KELLY & WALSH, LD., Hongkong.

ANE, CRAWFORD & CO

AUTUMN AND WINTER HOSIERY GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING GOODS.

WOOL, CASHMERE, and MERINO PANTS and UNDERSHIRTS. WOOL. CABHMERE, and MERINO HALF HOSE. ROWING and FOOTBALL JERSEYS and SWEATERS. OXFORD TWILL, FRENCH PRINT, and CAL-

CUTTA SHIRTINGS. CARDIGAN JACKETS, and FANCY KRITTED TENNIS JERSEYS and SHIRTS.

DRESSING GOWNS, TRAVELLING RUGS. SHAWL WRAPS, COLLARS, TIES, SCARVES. HANDEBECHIEFS, BELTS DRESS SHIRTS, TIES, and SOCKS. TENNIS BATS, BALLS, NETS, SHOES, &C. LANE CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 10th October, 1890.

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W. Brewer is now shewing his original Hand Painted Native CHRISTMAS CARDwhich are complete novelties and very suitable to home friends. WALTER W. BREWER.

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Winds in less than a dozen turns; Jewelled, Dust-proof, Keyless, with all the latest improvements. A perfect and unrivalled timekeeper.; reliable, durable and accurate.

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Hongkong, 21st February, 1890. WANTED. COOK to take charge of HOTEL terms and enclosing testimonials, D., care of Hyogo News, Koba, Japan.

> IN THE SUPREME COURT\_ OF HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 25th October, 1890

Government Secretary. NORMAN CURTIS STEVENS, Deceased. OTIOE is hereby given that in accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870 Section 3, an Order has been made by the Honourable Sir James Russell, C.M.G., T is proposed that the "OLD CHELTONIAN" Chief Justice of Houghous, limiting the time DINNER shall take place this Year at the for Creditors and others to send in their Claims HONGKONG CLUB, on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER against the above Estate to the Undersigned to the 31st December, 1890, on or before which manage to be present are earnestly requested to All Persons indebted to the said Estate are

WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the Administrator. 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong. **成八十二月十英港香** INTIMATIONS.

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NHESE plates are rich in silver and will be found to be very rapid and equal to any ordinary plate in the market. They are easily WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS developed, give a vigorous image, and can be thoroughly relied on to work in a hot climate FAMILY, DISPENSING, and GENERAL without any difficulty.

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MARINE HOTEL

The Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that the MARINE HOTEL is now OPEN. THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL

dions, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and similar articles rold elsewhere. are suitable for Single or Married Porsons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the best the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMs are on the Bround Floor, and are fitted up in superior home. style. English and American Tables.

WINES and Liquons of the best qualities and Brands only are supplied. JAS. EDWARDS. Hongkong, 2nd August, 1890.

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and Verandah to each. The TABLE D'HOTE is unexcelled. The Hotel Launch runs regularly to and from eddar's Wharf and the Hotel Frag or Hongkong, 24th July, 1890.

> THE BOA VISTA. BISHOP'S BAY, MACAO.

'HIS HOUSE situated on the Coast in one of the best and healthiest parts of Macao and commanding an admirable View facing the South, was opened as an Hotel on the lat July. Every comfort will-be provided for Visitors with excellent Cuisine and choice Wines. Hot, cold, shower and sea water Baths. Large and well ventilated Dining, Billiard, and Reading Rooms and well supplied Bar. A small dairy is attached to the premises Mrs. MARIA B. DOS REMEDIOS. Proprietress.

CITANDARD -OFFICE LAST YEAR HEADED THE LIST SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICES

£1,379,000 OF NEW ASSURANCES 2353,000 WAS ADDED TO THE FUNDS.

a22 The Eastern New Business of this Office has doubled during the last three years. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong. Hongkong, 7th August, 1890.

THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY,

LIMITED. THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders in the above on SATURDAY, the 8th NOVEMBEE Next at

Very Handsome Photo Albums for Cabinets Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1890. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOBED from the lat. November until the 6th November, both days inclusive. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

> Hongkong, 25th October, 1890. FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS.

SEASON 1890-1891.

BY APPOINTMENT

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

TAPE have received our New Season's importations direct from the best DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES for ordering from (containing hints for gardening) will be sent post free on application.

ORDERS FROM ONE PERSON \$5 TO \$10 ALLOWED 25 PER CENT, DISCOUNT. Orders from one Person over \$10 allow ED AN EXTRA 5 PER CENT. DISCOUNT. SINGLE PACKETS AT LIST PRICES.

R'MOSTAW -PATENT DRYING BOTTLES. By the use of these Bottles, SEEDS, and GOODS of all kinds that are susceptible to the iestroying influence of moisture, can be kept in good condition ever where. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, or

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, September, 1890. TLER PALMER A -wine & spirit merchants, London and Bordsaux.

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the Colony: and we trust it will soon become The TABLE D'HOTE is supplied with the generally known that, quality for quality, our charges all round compare favourably with local rates, and in most inclances with those ruling at Experienced qualified English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines.

> GOODS FOR COAST PORTS. Whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. Most articles can now be rent by the local Parcel Post All retail orders of the value of five dollars and upwards are sent freight or postage paid. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram WAISON & Co., LD. October 27, SIEGMOND, Ger. str., for Whampos.

THE HONGKING DISPENSARY.

HONGKONG. BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE SHANGELT PHARMACT, SHANGHAD 24. Nankin Road.

BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA, Escolta, 14. -The Ganton Dispensary.-CANTON-

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN. LONDON OFFICE, 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890.

MALDHECK, MACGREGOR Езтанцанно 186 WINE AND SPIRIT MEA HANTS ALE AND STOUT MIRCHANTS. Honokono, 13, Queen's Road. SHANGHAI, 7, Foodbow Road. LONUON. 101. Leadenhall Street.

CUTLER PALMER & Co... LONDON, BORDEAUX, and INDIA, regularly consign to us for sale on their account certain of their WINES and SPIRITS, and we are prepared to take orders for every item in their List, which we aubició.

CUTLER. PALMER & Co's COUNAC, 4 STARS. \$18.50 per I dozen quarts. COGNAC, S STARS, \$12,50 per 1 dozen querts. COGNAC, 2, STARS, \$10.25 per 1 dozen quarts.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co's HISKY, "PALL MALL." Il years old 312 per 1 dezen quarts. City Acalyst's Laboratory, 38, Bath Street, Glasgow,

20th December, 1889. I have made a careful analysis of an average sample of Mesars Curles. Painter & Co's, so called "Pall Mell" Whisky, taken by myself from the Bonded Store in Clasgow, and I am of opinion that it is Pure. of fine character, and is well matured.

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October 26. NANOT PENDLETON. Amr. ship.

1.385, J. N. Pendleton, Shanghai 22nd Oct., General.—RUSSELL & Co. October 26, PICCIOLA, German etr., 875, T Nissen, Saigon 18th October, Rice and Paddy. - MELCHERS & Co. October 27, THORNDALE, British sir., 1,970, Etherington, Amoy 25th October, General.—

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. October 27, Nanzing, British etr., 809, Hogg, Maulia 24th October, General, JARDINE. MATHEBON & Co. October 27, Zapino, British str., 675, A. W. R. Cobban, Manila 24th October, Homp and Sugar -RUSSELL & Co. Oc ober 27, FOOKSANG, British str., 990, florg.

Wulm, 28cd October, Rice .- JARDINE. MATHEBON & Co. October 27, SIRGMOND. German steamer. 610. Kuhlmann, Newchwang 19th Oc ober, Beaus. —Oapar October 27, KAMBRILA, British ship. 1.952, J. Brownell, Singapore 11th Oct... Timber .-OAPTAIN.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED October 27, Donis, German steamer, 771. F. Raben, Bangkok, 17th Oct., Rice,-Win-LER & Co. October 27, SMITH, Chinese steamer, 70 , Mackintosh. Amoy 26th Oct., General -- MAX-CAMPO & Co. October 27, CHUSAN, German steamer, 623, W:

Wendt, Manila 24th October, Ballast .--Мълсивъз & Со tober 27. CLYDE, British steamer, 2.198, J. L. Parfitt, London 11th September, and Singapore 22nd October, Mails and Genered. - P. & O. S. N. Co. tober 27, Pour Jack on, British str., 1,728, G. R. Huddy, Sincapore 16th October,

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Polyhymnia, German str., for Singapore. Tritos Gorman str. for Bangkok DEPARTURES. October 27. CHI-YUEN. Chinese steamer, for October 27. FOOKSANG, British steamer, for October 27, TARAPACA, British bark, for San-Octob r :: 7. Polymynia. German steamer, fo Hamburg.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Nansing, str., from Manila - Capt. and Masters Dawar, Mr. John Carrington, 16 of the orew of the lost yacht Nyanca, and 106 Chirese. Per Zaftro, str., from Manila, -- Mr. and Mrs. Lennert and shild, Mr. Poulter, Revs. M. Garcia, S. Paja, R. Vala ques, and O. Kirke. Per Clyde, str., for Honekoug.-From London.-Lieut. J. W. Ingram, Misses Gregory and Bundock, Messra. D. Fergusson, H. S. Brown, R. Robertson, and E. F. Burnett. From Brindisi.—Capt. Hellhoff. From Penang.—Mesers. E. H. Bell, W. D. Ashdown, Khor Wang Choe, Wong Guan Chey, Chan Ah Kum, and Wong Ah Tin. From Singapore.-Mr. Katayama. For Shanghai.-From London.-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. and Miss Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Knapp. Revs. G. Douglas. D. J. Robertson, and J. Parker. Misses Reid, Candall, and Marley, and Mr. F. E lis. From Singapore.-Mr. W. Hyde. For Yokohama.-From London.-Miss Webb, and Mr. R. Silver. From Penang.-Mr. F. Dirberly. From Singapore.—Mrs. A. M. Apcar and infant. For Nagasaki.—From London.-Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall, three Misses

The Chinese steamer Smith, from Tamsui and Amoy 26th October, had fine weather and amooth sea throughout.

Hall, and two Masters Hall."

AMOY SHIPPING.

October-ARRIVALS. 18. Haiphong, British str., from Foochow, 19, Hailoong, British str., from Hongkong. 19. Tailee. German str, from Hongkong. 19, Sin Nanzing, British etr., from Shanghai. 19. Lancelot, British atr., from Hongkong. 19. Namklang, British str., from Hongkong. 20, Smith, Chinese str., from Kelung. 20, Names, British str., from Foodbow. 20. Siam, British str. from Hongkong. 21, Dardanus, British str., from Hongkong. 21, Haitan, British str., from Hongkong. 21. Fokien, British str., from Tameni. "3, Thales, British str., from Hongkong. 23, Formess, British atr., from Tamsui. DEPARTU ES. 17. Jason, British str., for Swatow. 17. Zafiro. British str., for Manila. 17, Suochow, British atr. fo Shanghai.

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24. Thales, British str., for Tainanfoo. VESSELS IN DOCK. ABERDEEN DOCKS .- Hailoodg, Verona. Kowloon Docks.—Heungsban, Mount Hebron, Cheang Hook Kian, Cheang Hye Teng. Taicheong, Riversdale, Phra Chem Klao. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK.-Nansban.

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> TO DAY. Sale of Work, City Hall, 3 p.m. Meeting, Hongkong Marins, Hongkong Polo, Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m. Regimental Pand, Murray Barracks, 8.p.m. "Madame Favart," City Hall.

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Номскомс, Остовев 28ти, 1890. The delivery of the English mail was begun

at 6.45 pm yesterday. at balf-pust-four fo-day

There were 1.762 visitors to the City Hall Museum list week, of whom 220 word Europeans H W. S. Frehrand; as to whose whereabouts some on sectainty had been folt, has put into Wencholy :

The Agent: (Masses Gibb. Livingston & Co. inform us that the "Ben" Line steamer Benlow and, from Glasg w. Autworp, and London, left-Singapore for this port yesterday.

The London and China Express hears from Berlin that Hung-shun, the Chinese Minister to Germany, Russia, Austria and Holland, has been recalled by the Tamer li Tamer:

Further particulars of the fire at Canton reached us yesterday afternoon, but the ex traordinary pressure on our n wa columns compals us to hold over that and other interesting

The Unit of States gunboat Nipsic arrived at San Francisco on the 30th ult. from Honolulu. twenty-ma days out. The Nipsic was one of the vessels wrecked in the great gale at Samos, when the Calliege escaped:

According to Manila papers great destitution has been caused along the Pampanga coast by the late typhoon and flood. Many people have lost their crops of paddy and sugar and are compelled to appeal to public charity.

A perfect mosalight night and a delightful'y cool temp rature tempted numbers out to listen to the Band of the A. & S. Highlanders in the to Drainage and Water-works, so that the Council Botsmin Gardens last evening: A good pro- and the Public may know precisely what it is the my wish, as it must by the wish of every one, if we come to any particular office in this list as gramme was provided, and the crowd broke up Conneil are saked to sanction and for what purposes lingeringly at its conclusion.

Schools will be held in the City Hull at 3 p.m. to-flay | fu :s lay); "The Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will, by kind permission of Colonel Chater and Officers, be present and play during

The Band of the 91st A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at, the Officers' Mass this evening, commencing at eight o'elock ·--

the afternoon.

"Le Père la Viotoire" .......... Ganne, "'Noi Bonnes Gen de Village" Czibulka " Rem. of Scotland Styfiandem. "Adplers bust" . Kélor Bélar Selection ... Rem, of Belliui." 

A New York telegram to the S. F. Bulletin. dated 27th nlt says :- Forty fan-tan dives, five | lotteries and ten other Chinese gambling places ! have been definitely located by the police within | Excellency, in reply to the hon, member I have the space of four blocks in this city. The Even- to state that the Appropriation Bill, which it \$51,840. I may mention that there has apparing Telegr in which has been investigating the is proposed to read a second time to-day, deals ontly been rather a large increase as compared facts; finds that there is a Chinese association only with the ordinary expenditure of the Co-with last year, but it has arisen in this way. which regulates the whole lot. The dens, which long and not with the extraordinary expenditure. On preparing the Estimates I found no provision were once closed, were notified by the association to which the questions of the hon, member ap- was made under the head of pensions for the loss that they might reopen, free from molestation, pear to refer. It is therefore unnecessary to the Colony has sustained from the depreciation upon the pryment of \$1,300 to the Chinese defer consideration of such portions of the Es- of silver, and therefore I have provided this year, formed against them and had them raided

Hon. H. E. Wodehouse, very few cases of in. the table on the 30th May last contained very The Chairman-Yes. terest transpired. An Indian constable, No. 644. full information as to the water and drainage was charged with assaulting a hawker in West | works. If the hon, member has not copies of Street on the 24th inst. The defendant denied | those reports they will be supplied to him. It for the Governor and Legislature. With refer- better to refer it to a special committee? his Worship thought the complement had brought the compensate the interest of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least the interest of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least the interest of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the first rests of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. I would be very least to the salary of the officers concerned that you other day will be convenient. it upon kinself and dismised the case.—The the matter is considered either by the Finance tertainment allowance and so on is made by should admit my verbal explanation and then glad if the Council could sit at half-past two. charge against a Chinaman for stealing a gold Committee or the Public Works Committee no anthority of a despatch from the Secretary of you could advise them whether they should watch and whall was concluded, the defendant doubt the Surveyor-General will be able to State. There is also an addition in consequence refer to the Secretary of State or not. being sentenced to six months' imprison. afford the hon, member every information. ment. - The charge of selling a child against I hap Yik, a boatman, and Chan Mui, a kept waman, who bought it, was concluded yesterday. The first defendant said he got no to the Finance Committee. money for the child, but he admitte! picking the child up, because it followed him. The second defendant produced a deed of gift in which the child was pledged to her for the sumof \$78, and she handed \$39,60 to the first defondant, who said the child was his and wanted the money to bury his wife. His Worship sentenered the first defendant to nine months hard labour and bound the second defendant over in orders of the day No 7 stands as "Committee | The Charman Habappens to held it, but it

haviour for six months.

LATEST TREEGRAMS.

[FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS] Loudon, 15th Oclober. THE FLYING IRISH M.P.s. Persistent rumours are being circulated tha Mesers. O'Brien and Dillon went to Havre to ombark for America, but missed the steamer and that both are now hiding in the vicinity of Paris. LONDON, 18th October. and have announced that they will sail for America on the 25th, remain there four months,

then roturn to England and surrender themselves to the authorities. THE CHIEF SECRETARY ON HIS IRISH POLICY. The Hon. A. J. Balfour, Secretary for Ireland,

speaking at Newcastle said that the Irish policy of the Government must be maintained, as suproby if allowed to continue would inevitably result in disaster to Ireland. London, 20th October.

THE GALE ON THE YORKSHIRE COAST

A furious gate has been blowing at Sourberough for several days. Admiral Saymour, 45 123 officers, and 200 men belonging to the Chann'l Squadron, who were on shore, have been frying since Friday to rejoin their ships, but were unable to do so. The vessels have since put to sea safely. LONDON. 15th October.

ENGLAND AND PORTUGAL. It is officially reported at Lisbon that British gunboats have ascended the river Zambesi in defiance of the protests made by the Portuguese

FROM 'JAVA BODE.' THE HAGUE, 14th October. THE REALTH OF THEKING OF HOLLAND.

A bulletin has been issued stating that the King's strength is maintained; but exhaustion

[FROM MANILA PAPERS.] MADRID, 17th October. THE SPANISH TARIFF. The Commission appointed to revise the tariff. proposes that the commercial treatics should be

renewed. There is a division of opinion as to

the exclusion of foreign flags from the traffic with

The European Governments are negotiating the preliminaries of a tariff war against America.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. A meeting of The Legislative Connuil was

held yesterday afternoon. There were present:-HIS EXCELLENCY THE ACTING GOVERNOR, Hon. F. FLEMING, C.M.G. Hon. W. M. DEANE, C.M.G. Acting Colonial Hon. E. J. ACKBOYD, Acting Attorney

Hon. H. E. WODEHOUSE, C.M.G. Acting Colonial Treasurer. Hon. S. Skown, Surveyor-General Hon. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES, Acting Rogi

Hon. P. RYRIE. Hou. C. P. CHATER. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. Hon. Ho KAI.

Hon. T. H. WRITEREAD.

rar-General.

Mr. F. A. HAZELAND, Acting Clerk of Coun PINANCIAL MINUTE. A financial minute recommending the Council to vote a sum of \$480, as a gratuity to the widow

of Mr. Arthur Wagner, late Assistant Marine Suveyor and Assistant Superintendent and Engineer of the Fire Brigade, in consideration o her husband's service, was laid on the table and referred to the Finance Committee. THE PROPOSED REDUCTION OF POSTAGE. The Acting Colonial Secretary laid of the table the report of the last meeting of the

Finance Committee. The recommendation that There willhon game of Polo at Causeway Bay | the Despatch of the Secretary of State on the propsosed re-notion of postage, with Thamber of Commerce for their observations was agreed to by Him Excollency, and the Council passed the votes recommended. NOTICES OF MOTION

Hon. T. H. WRITEREAD gave notice that at the next meeting he would move the following That the Government lay upon the table a complete

and detailed statement showing:-

1.—The total amount in dollars received by this Colony on account of the loan for £200,000. 2.—The tutal amount of interest paid, principal be easily understood why—and rate to be mentioned, on the loan annually His Excellency—I am from the date of borrowing until now, or to 30th June last, or any mere convenient date of this year. amounts of the loan repaid annually.

6.—The rate per cent. per annum the loan h cost annually the rate to include interest commission, and all other charges from date of borrowing up to the most convenient date of this year. as well as in dollars, also the rate or rates of ex-change at which each conversion has been made. Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD also gave notice of the following motion for the next meeting:-

That the Council postpone consideration of the Estimates for 1891 for Public Works Extraordinary No. 29 on the Abstract Lint—in so far as regards the following numbers under that heading-Nos. 1, 8, until Government lay on the table detailed and com is to be done in each case and the necessity for the works, together with Estimates and plans, including a definite statement of their intentions with reference the money to be voted is to be used Further.

that the Government lay on the table a copy the Despatch and Statement sent to Lord Knutsford We remind our readers that the annual "Sale in reply to his Despatch of 18th April last, also a fresh report from the Surveyor-General as to what works he can now reasonably undertake to do during the ensuing year, and also a report detailing the Public Works to which the Colony is already actual-

ly committed. PUBLIC WORKS AND THE ESTIMATES.

bog to ask the following questions:-1.—Will the Government lay on the table, before proceeding with the estimates for 1891, the Sanitary Board's letter of the 11th August, 1890, containing certain recommendations on the subject of you. I beg to move that it be approved. the Water and Drainage Works P

2.—Will the Government, before proceeding with the estimates for 1891, lay upon the table detailed and complete statements of the proposed works not already sanctioned by the Legislative Council to-gether with plans and estimates in detail including a complete statement of the new drainage scheme and of the arrangements proposed by Government | Bill. for carrying it out promptly and effectively? The Acting-Colonial Secretary-Your

bristian Association, which had hitherto in- timates as are dealt with in the Bill. The let- as you will see in the Estimates, a certain amount ter of the Sanitary Board of the 11th August to make up the difference in the rate of exchange. will be laid on the table at the next meeting. The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-Is that At the Police Court yesterday, before the The reports by the Hon. Mr. Chadwick laid on the \$4,840 that is put down?

THE SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 1889.

This Bill was read a second time and referred THE DANGEROUS GOODS AMENDMENT ORDINANCE. This Bill was read a third time and passed. . THE POLICE FORCE CONSULIDATION

AMENDMENT BILL. This Bill was read a third time and passed. THE PENSION FUND BILL. The Acting Attorney-General-On the of Councils."

provide for and regulate a Panalan Pana

hon, member on my right (Han P. Ryrie) Secretary. ferred to a Special Committee. There is no two offices are held by the same man. Standing Orders if this Ordinance were referred at present. to one of the Standing Committees, the Law The Acting Colonial Treasurer-By and then I will move the adjournment. committee for instance, after the report of that | whom ! Committee, if it was unanimous, we would not be obliged to go through the Bill again in Messre, O'Brien and Dillon are both in Paris part of some member, whereas if it is referred to are distinct. a Special Committee or the Law Committee. move that instead of a Special Committee it be

referred to the Law Committee. Hon. P. Ryrig-Idid mention a Special Committee, but after the explanation of the Attorney-General 1 think it would be as well to refer it to mittees. I second the motion.

Hon T. H. WHITCHEAD-I beg to give notice of a question in connection with this Bill. immediate connection with this Bill I should like | before the notice of the Secretary of State. to hear what you have to say. Hon. T. H. WHITEHBAD Will the Govern-

ment lay on the table a statement showing how

what was the total amount to credit of the fund at the time of its suppression, why and by whose salaries comes in the Estimates for 1891? fund was repaid to the subscribers of it? HIS EXCELLENCY-I don't think all these note showing the authority for the increase. Bills can be indefinitely postponed. If the hon, member gave notice of that question have the opportunity of going into the increase at the next meeting it would fortnight from to-day before he could ask it and three weeks before the Bill could go on at all. It would be a very long adjournment of a question which as. I have already intimated is intimatoly connected with the question of the estim. | given to you a weeklage. ates. The motion that has been made now is! Hon. P. RYRIE - They were laid on the table, ing Committees. As I mentioned to the hon. things about ourselves, and they were only sent

At the same time I was very anxions to hear laid on the table. bound to put the motion to the Council, but if unofficial as well as the efficial members. happy to put his motion as an amendment. The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY—The Government would lay on the table a list of the week.

Supersonnation Fund was to provide pensions publicly-stated by individuals it is more than up. Therefore if the Council now resumes, been done at Haub are by no means remote. the change. I make no comment. A little for the officers themselves, and therefore when probable that considerable hardship may have if any hon. member wishes to make a mo- Our plans for the immediate future, as set forth further on he says—" hoping that I have the pension system was established in 1842 the been done to a numb welf very deserving officers tion that may affect proceedings in the Report, are to confine our operations to your recognition of the disadvantages under Superannuation Fund ceased to exist. It has of this Government, and I am satisfied I only Committee I presume he is at liberty to do so, presume he is at liberty to do so, presume only, at an expenditure of not more which my first term of management commenced, therefore no connection with the Bill to provide | coho the feeling of the public at large when I but I don't quite see that there is any report sent pensions for the widows and children. His Excellency-I may say that if it possible-for-the Government to-give the infor- gret In looking down these Estimates which | Hou. Ho KAI-I think the hon. Chairman

given, and the Bill can be referred to the Lom- you mentioned to us we should find the in- solution that was passed. mitte in the meantime, which would prevent creases marked by the letter a in the margin, if | His Excellency—Yes, if you move the adopthe postponement for two or three weeks, which I understood you correctly— I would rather regret. Insemuch as the hon. member appears to take an interest in this ques- against the increases with reference to the The Council is not supposed to know what has tion, if he desires it should be referred to a Secretary of State's depatch No. 110 of the 19th | been done until the report has been gent up. special committee rather than the Standing June, 1890. That, therefore, is the authority. The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I under-Committee I shall be happy to hear him. I for the difference between the amount put down stood the Chairman had reported: may, however mention that though it is refer- for 1891 and that for 1890. Therefore it The Acrine Cole lat Secretary-I did after making examination and tests, finds that to the other portion of your property, the

what observations he likes. The motion was then put and carried. THE APPROPRIATION BILL, 1891

The Acting Colonial Secretary—I have to move the second reading of the Appropriation | Bill, 1891. Your Excellency's minute on the subject of this Bill was read at the last meeting of l Council, therefore all the material facts in connection with it are before the Council and any whether the grounds on which an increase of further information it is desired should be given will be given when the Bill is in Committee. The Acting Colonial Treasurerseconded. The Bill was read a second time. The Acting Colonial Secretary—I have

now to move, sir, that this Bill be referred to the Finance Committee with the Estimates. -I am sorry I was not present when the information. We have a list of public works public will be better pleased, after approving an second it. given so long that if you look at the total it is annual increase of \$45,000, to give if necessary a

on closely examining it, as I have done, it can

enable us to pass these votes.

quite right in saying he would not have had an of pay, but the writers of these applications apopportunity of making a speech or a question pear not to have studied the terms of the Secret ment time to consider whether all the corres-The question was put and answered and there lary of State's despatch. The Secretary of pondence, which must be more or less confidenthe matter stopped for the time being. But the State's desputch, which is the basis of the whole | tial in a case of this kind, should or should not hou, member (Hon, T. H. Whitehead) has also of this matter, lays down the grounds on which plete statements of the proposed works showing what | given notice that he will make a motion in respect | any application is to be considered, and we have to this matter and when he does so of course it received numbers of applications that are exwill be quite open to any hon, member to make an | pressly disallowed by that despatch. As I said statement he may desire, and I may say it is before, I am acquainted with all these cases, and that all matters connected with public works to which any hon, member wishes to know why

should be inquired into most fully. The question that the Bill be referred to the to give him the information. Practically the Finance Committee was then put and carried. CONSIDERATION OF THE E TIMATES IN THE

\* FINANCE COMMITTEE. The Council then resolved itself into Finance Committee, His Excellency retiring and the | they prefer to have it referred to a Committee of Colonial Secretary taking the chair. The CHAIRMAN said—The first matter before | that, or if they prefer to go on in Finance Com-

The ACTING COLONIAL TERASUREE seconded. Carried. propriation Bill, 1891. The first item is the charges on account of the public debt, \$86,527. Estimates. I beg to move that this item stand part of the

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. Carried. The CHAIRMAN—The next item is Pensions.

The item was approved. The CHAIRMAN—The next item is \$40,879

of the Clerk of Councils, who used formerly to have a department to himself, having been trans. hon, member (Hon. T. H. Whitehead) to second ferred to the Governor's establishment. The item was approved. The CHAIRMAN—The next item is a sum of

\$39,348 for the Colonial Secretary's establishment. The Acting Attorney-General-With reference to this, I find the Chief Clerk gets the meeting. \$3,240 and \$1,296 as Clerk of Councils. The Chairman-Why P The Acting Attorney-General-Because

it is put down here. "Holds the office of Clerk ment? ber awn recommissions of \$100 to be of good be, on the Bill entitled an I rdinance to does not follow as a newselfy that he always will, position? The Apring Attorney Canadal That

for widows and children of Public Officers brings up the pay of the office to \$4,596, which of the Colony." At the last meeting the is more than that of the Assistant Colonial to said he would move that this Ordinance be re- The CHATHMAN-But it does not follow the objection, sic, to that, but under rule 41 of the The Acting Attorney Grneral-They are

The Chairman - By Mr. Solli. . The Acting Colonial TREASURER-But Committee, unless there is an objection on the at the present moment the acting appointments Committee again on the million is a fine of the company that it is will a good the Council whether it should be referred to the Company that it is will a good the Council whether it should be referred to the Was formerly the chief clerk in the thing further. Would the hon, member who Haghes, N. J. Robinson, A. S. Gemes, meetings of this Company that it is will a good Audit Office and he has been transferred to the

Colonial Secretary's Office. There is a question | present? as to whether he should receive an increase at the rate of 35 per cent, or 20 per cent, which is proposed to refer to the Secretary of State. Then I may observe with reference to the Pass the Law Committee. Any member of Council ed Cadets that according to the desputch which can attend the meetings of the Standing Com- has been laid before the Council the Passed Cadots receive \$1,800 and the Cadots \$1,500. but the Cadets also receive quarters. The result is that it is almost befter to be a Cadot than HIS EXCELLENCY-I am afraid you are rather a Passed Cadet. I think that is a small fact that late to give notice of questions now, but if it has been overlooked, and it will be brought

does a ruference clark mean? The CHAIRMAN - Ile is the man who keeps the new com. the Superannuation Fund which existed in the records as to who has been on leave and all Colony previous and up to 1857 was disposed of, matters of that kind. He is a kind of dictionary. Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-The increase of order was it put an end to, and how much of the The CHAIRMAN-Yes: wherever there is the letter a against the sulary it refers to a marginal Hon. T. H. WHITEHSAD-Will the Council

a of salaries later on f The CHAIRMAN—No: now is the time. Hon. P. RIRIE-I have only had these Estimales in my possession a day or two. The CHAIRMAN-I am very sorry. They were that this Bill be referred to one of the Stand. but we are not in the habit of carting these

the right to aftend that Committee and make letter does not appear no increase has been given. that to some one else. Hon. J. J. KESWICK-I am obliged for Ilon. J. J. KESWICK-I beg to move the we are informed that the Smelting Works in in the Straits cannot be called mining proper, your explanation. Now, I believe it is notorious, adoption of the report in connection with the Harbour Master's department especially, that there is very great dissatis- the report ought to be in writing. and also in other departments, and I am very derstood it was taken as being in writing to save operations are to be so greatly circumscribed overtwo years and a half-or at least we have paid auxious the Government should afford some explanation of these causes of complaint and

pay is disallowed are good and sufficient.

of a motion? Hon. J. J. KESWICK-Yes. I beg to move that the Government will lay on the table a list of those officers who have not received an increaseunder the new scale of pay and at the same time Hon. C. P. Chater (who had just entered) state the reasons if these officers are not satisfied. Hon. Ho Kar-I beg to second the resolution other work. regard to the Estimates. Even if I had been done to certain members of certain departments, stood the report was made verbally so that it Penjom Pahang Gold Company to be insued in west level which traverses the main line of reef I do not suppose I could have spoken on the and I think that is to be regretted since the might be received and acted upon at once, i subject, as he put it in the form of a question. public has agreed that the pay of the Civil Service order that there should be no loss of time But now, as we are on the Estimates, I may should be increased. I am sure the public will speak, and I need hardly say that I am entirely | not gradge, since it has gone so far, the slight | fore, no report can be acted on unless it is adopted. of the opinion of the hon, member opposite increase to be given to those who are suffer-(Hon. T. H. Whitehead) that we are called upon ing from some sort of injustice. I think tion has now been moved. to vote large same of money and commit the a thorough investigation should be made and Colony to further large sums without the least | that every one should get a slight share. The

enough to frighten anybody in the Colory, but few thousands more to make every one satisfied. The CHAIRMAN-In reply to the hon, mem- man or in his absence by the senior member. (A made with regard to Mr. Becher, and his manage- less continuously on the hill tops over a mile of bers, I have no authority to make any official long pause here ensued.) Well, this is a motion His Excellency—I am sorry to interrupt statement, but I am quite prepared to adopt I consider of very considerable importance and which he was sent to London. These remarks now. Referring to the last ornshing, he you, but, in answer to the question put by the one of two courses, whichever is most con- I think the best plan will be for the considera- we consider were unjust and undeserved. Our says "The figures are of most importance" hon, member a short time ago, it was stated venient to them. The first is that I am perfectly tion of this motion to stand over until the next | bondon committee first appointed altogether and these above that a net yield of ever that the Bill we are now considered as we go on through the different meeting. The reason why I make these obser-4.—The total amount of charges, advertising, and refer to extraordinary expenditure, but simply departments to inform the hon, members in any all others incurred and paid in respect of the loan. to ordinary expenditure. The Estimates un-5.—The profit orders in exchange on each of the doubtedly deal with extraordinary expanditure, been refused and if so the grounds of such rebut the Appropriation Bill only deals with or- tusal; or I am prepared to agree to the adjourn- fore the Council, and I think myself the subject thorized by us to do so. Had the Pahang considerably mixed with barren rock which rement of the Committee in order that the Legis, is one the Government ought very carefully to market remained what it was when we first ar. duced the assay to the average of 7 dwts, per Hon. C. P. CHATER-I was not present when lative Council may resume, and the matter can consider. On the face of it it may seem sim- ranged to send Mr. Becher home he would have ton; further, it represented the bulk of low the hon, member put his question, but I read then be considered by the Council. But I am ple enough, but when you come to consider had an easier task and the result of his new grade vein stuff only without any appreci-7.—The amounts to be stated in Pounts Sterling the notice he gave, and 1 would have liked to perfectly prepared at the present moment to the question, that reasons porhaps of a gotiations would never have been criticised, able contribution of the richer veins discontinuously the notice he gave, and 1 would have liked to perfectly prepared at the present moment to the question, that reasons porhaps of a gotiations would never have been criticised, able contribution of the richer veins discontinuously the notice he gave, and 1 would have liked to perfectly prepared at the present moment to the question. have expressed myself to the effet that we give the hon, members any information about more or less confidential nature should be sir. Becker obtained the best terms he could in covered but not further exploited. . . . I preshould containly require more information to any office they may desire. I may state that, laid before the Council is an admission that the circumstances. These terms were placed sume that the assay of 7 dwt. undervalues the as the hon members have observed, a great should not be made in a hurry. I think it would before you and approved by you before we au- actual contents, as the sample assayed was all HIS EXCELLENCY—The hon, member is many applications have been inade for increases be wiser for the hon, member to make this mo-

the increase was disallowed I will be very bappy information is given b the absence of the letter a against their names in the Estimates, the reasons being given in the Secretary of State's despatch. However, I am in the hands of the Committee. It the whole Conneil I am prepared to assent to

1889. As you are aware, all these sums have they desire. I must also add that whetever we Connection with the Estimates to use every effort to obtain it." I am certain twenty-one months ago; the report I hold in my Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-Pursuant to notice us is the supplementary Appropriation Bill, mittee Tam prepared to give any explanation himself aggrieved, sending to the Secretary of | would be as well to have as much time as pos-State his view of the matter, and in one or two sible, and if we only sit at three c'dock, as the The CHAIRMAN-The next matter is the Ap- vice that if they are dissatisfied their memorials time, and therefore I suggest that if we could will be attached to the desputch covering the meet at half past two it would be an advantage. sideration to the next meeting.

Hon, T. H. WHITEHEAD seconded. The CHAIRMAN-I do not think it would b very interesting or desirable that all these aplications and the grounds of their refusal should be printed, which is what it would come to. not so many, are they P ...

take so long to go into it? The CHAIRMAN-No. I could do it in two minutes verbally. Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-Would it not be

Hon. J. J. KESWICK-Did I understand the the proposal of the bon, member on my right

( Hon. O. P. Chater)? Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-Yes. motion properly proposed and seconded before interesting account was given of the method for itself. "Produce material for some re- men, that a year ago I asked a question of the The CHAIRMAN-Since then there has been an amendment proposed. Hon J. J. Krawick-What is the amend-

The CHAIRMAN-That the house adjourn.

tion. J. J. KESWICK-And the original pro-

The Chairman—Kong offi

the hon, member to move it as an amendment: The CHAIRMAN—Ipso facto a motion for ad-journment is an amendment.

hon, member on my left (Hon J. J. Keswick) yesterday at noon in the Chamber of Commerce, may be allowed to ask what proportion of that The Acting Attoener, General. I under W. G. Brodie (Chairman). Hon. C. P. Chater, am entitled to ask that question? stand the Chairman is able to give verbally the Messrs. D. Gillies, E. L. Woodin (Directors); information why the applications in certain cases. H. M. Becher (General Manager); Ged. Holmes, have been refused. I think, perhaps, it would be S B. Bhobbha, J. Samuel, J. C. da Cunha, F. figures, and accounts. I leave those to some better to hear that explanation before we go J. Barras, A. G. Remedios, W. More, R. B. one else. I have not been brought up that way. The Chairman—Yes. In this department further, After we have beard that, hon, members Allen, R. S. Judah, R. Fraser Smith, J. F. C. Mr. Fraser Smith, J. F. C. Mr. Fraser Smith, J. F. C. might not consider it necessary to require any. da Roza, M. M. da Roza, P. F. Daver, E. Jones gentlemen. I have spoken so frequently at the

> the motion as I made it should be put to the E. B. Jorey, F. H. Hohnke, J. Meier J. Jones, the honourable gentlemen seated at the table be-The CHAIRMAN-I have to move an amond. A. Lind, S. A. Joseph, G. H. Potts, J. dos port), in view of the various reports that have ment to the motion and that is, that this Remedies, A. E. Silva, R. Adam W. M. B. been issued during the past six years I cannot Committee do now adjourn and that the Arthur, R. M. Talbot, G. D. Scott. H. G. but compliment them on their courage in facing Legislative Council be reformed so that this James, A. G. Morris, J. A. Carvalho, A. P. da the shareholders of this Company publicly. They question may be considered in Council and Costs, R. C. Wilcox, W. H. Gaskell, J. B. must, I think, have an amount of assurance—

The ACTING COLONIAL TREASURER—What Registrar General did not vote. The original motion was then put and carried Gourdin, (Secretary), &c.,

mittee report to the Legislative Council.

the adjourned. The motion was then put and carried.

who returned, and the Council resumed

ber referred is a matter wholly distinct from if they are not satisfied the grounds on which sion has been come to in Finance Committee, of opinion that with other sub-companies to take gold mine—the lode," He wrote that in the object of this Bill, which is to provide for they make complaint. Judging from what is but the Council is not supposed to know what up smaller areas and develop several mines the 1888. Here is the report issued last wo k the widows and orphans of Civil Servants. The stated in the public Press and from what is has transpired until the report has been sent chances of making rich discoveries such as has |-lock on this picture, and on that, and see say that any improper application of this in up by the Finance Committee, that is, any report ing will nevertheless, as you know, by confinued are now surmounted, and I shall on my return is crease of pay would be viewed with very great re- on the matter that was sent to them, at present.

> tion of the report, but all the Chairman did was The CHAIRMAN-The letter a is placed to report verbally the decision of the Committee.

> > The Acting Colonial Trasur: R-I think sent, when we hope they will be able to deal with to assure success where the tin is so well known

sort of proceeding. The CHAIRMAN-Do you put it in the form the best thing you can do is to adjourn. (Laughter).

HIS EXCELLENCY—But if we adjourn we are Hon P. Ryrie-I don't like the Estimates being hurried. I have already objected to it.

HIS EXCRLLENCY—Neither do I, but we have

The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I under-His Excellency—But as I remarked be-The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-Its ador being in the bands of your representatives. of a rich free wold bearing nature." Refer-His Excellency—Does any one second it?

Hon P Rykie-I shall be very happy to . His Excellency-The standing orders re- subsequent three months. There were certain bearing formation, which will be found here of at quire every report to be signed by the Chair-

| be published: The Action Colonial Secretary-I rise o move, sir, that this question be postponed to

The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL seconded. THE SQUATTERS' OBDINANCE. This Bill was considered in Committee. Two clauses stood over and the remainder were passed

this day week.

reported without amendment.

mind the amount of work now before the settlement, and your directors will continue you gentlemen was Mr. Becher in January, 1889.

the days or hours of sitting, because I know they am desirous of consulting their wishes we might have an extra day.

next at half-past two.

Hon. J. J. KESWICK-L did not understand THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIB DUA tion." Now, at the last meeting I took he SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY; opportunity of making the Chairman if Mr. LIMITED.

lock, W. St. John Hancook, J. Sampson, five us, that I get up to again address you. Hon. J. J. KESWICK-I would prefer that R. Lyall, C. H. Rogge, J. Lembke, F. Rapp, Assuming that the Directors of this Company-E. H. Gore-Booth, A. F. Soares, A. Cohen. fore us-ure responsible for this thing (the re-Gomes, E. W. Terroy, J. S. Porry, L. Mandel, an amount of courage and confidence in their The Acting Colonial Treasurerseconded. H. J. Scott, W. Judah, N. Nolan, J. S. Coxon, past actions which few men could fairly claim. The Smendment on being put was lost, four S. J. Danby, John Andrew, D. K. Griffith, W. to possess, to come before us to-day after pre-

voting for it and five against. The Acting H. Young, T. Arnold, G. T. Watson, H. B. sonting such documents as these to the share-Cotewall, C. A. Tomes, W. Legge, A. O'D. holders of the Punjom Company, and before I sit The CHAIRMAN-I now move that the Com- yearly meeting I was absent in Singapore on is a very great deal of room for serious complaint business of the Company having just returned -not to use haraber words. Like the previous Hon. C P. CHATER-I beg to move that the thither from Pahang, whonce I had forwarded speaker. I found difficulty in hearing the Chairs consideration of the Estimates be adjourned to to the Directors the information which was man's remarks but I did catch, at the end, a embodied in their report and in the Chairman's reference that be made to certain share-The Acting Colonial Treasurer-I se address on that occasion. Our report, which bolders who, at the last meeting, took upon cond the motion that we now report what has now been before you for the last few days, is themselves to make some remarks with restaken place. After that the Council will ad based on the latest information brought to us pect to Mr. Bechar, the Company's manager. journ, which will mean that the consideration straight from the mines by our General Manager, I was one of those shareholders, and I remember of the Estimates in Finance Committee will also Mr. Becher, who is present to-day and whose distinctly stating that, if I were in order, I would fuller report to us is also in your hands. We propose that he be instantly dismissed from the have endeavoured to set forth clearly the position | Company's service -- and after our experience of affairs and trust that it is understood by you, since then I am prepared to move that propos-A message was then sent to His Excellency, but I shall be glad to supplement our statements thou at this meeting. (Applause). I have read h by explanation on any points which may be report within the last helf-hour, and I think it The ACTI G COLONIAL SECRETARY-I have thought to require further elucidation. We would have been as well for Mr. Becher's reputato report to Your Excellency that the Finance regret that this position is not more satisfactory, tion as a mining engineer and as the manager of Committee having commenced to consider the but it is better to know the true state than form this Company, if he had never written a line of Estimates in connection with the Appropriation any indefinite or exaggerated impressions of the lit. Anything more inconsistent or more shameless

tion has been proposed and seconded, to give The CHAIRMAN-Notice was given a fort- Bill for 1891 the hon, member on my left (Hon. value of such mining properties as ours. We from the paid servent of a public Company I have notice of a question referring to that matter, night ago and at the last meeting they were J. J. Keswick) moved the following resolution: have not at any time been able to say that there never read, and I say that unhesitatingly. On - Will the Government lay on the table a list was any definite assurance of great richness in the 30th May, 1888. Mr Becher presented a report Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-I think a Select of those officers who have not received an in- our mines and Mr. Becher's conclusions have to this Company, which I hold in my hand now. on a matter which, though not immediately, we Committee should be appointed to consider the orease under the new scale of pay and at the same now satisfied us that though we possess gold. In that report he save, referring to the caports are to a certain extent dealing with. Notwith- increases. I believe certain grievances exist time state the grounds of refusal in the case of and tin deposits of wide extent they are still of Mr. Haughton and the late Mr. Tennison standing the question of the hon member I am and I think they should be looked into by the those officers who are not satisfied." That have only what we may call variable prospects Woods on the Company's property—"I had a ing been seconded was put to the meting and and that to continue carrying on expansive better opportunity, perhaps, than my predecesthe hon, member wishes to bring forward may Hen. J. J. KESWICE—It had been my inten. agreed to, and the hon, member (Hon. C. P. mining operations over such areas or to sink sors in examining the deposits at Punjom, and I motion in opposition to that I will be very tion before the Council adjourned to ask a ques- Chater) now suggests that the further discus- deep shafts with a view of searching for the have had the assistance of two good practical tion in reference to this matter-whether the sion of the Es'imates should be adjourned for a workable parts of these deposits is a task which miners, and I may now tell you that we are all we now realize is beyond our scope or that of three convinced of the gennine existence and Superannuation Fund to which the hon, mem- officers who have not received an increase and His Excellency-I understand some deci- any single Mining Company. We are, however, favourable prospects of that first essential of a

than \$3,000 per month. The work of deep min- I am happy to say that the first difficulties by the Penjom Company at the Jalis mine, in find most that I require to my hand and ready which, with the decided improvement in the to complete the task I have undertaken, namely, mation the hon, member has asked for it will be we are now considering so hastily, and in which has already reported to your Excellency the re- appearance of the quartz veins in the 110 ft 3 level, to make a going concern, a real mine, and. I sincewe have great hopes of shortly seeing a correst rely trust, a profitable mine of Punjoin within ponding improvement in the output of their the space of the next half-year." This was issued in millings, which will mean a good value for their May 18-8-now it is October 1890, and we have shares and the enhancement of value in our re- what ?-a "going concern?" " a real mine?" maining property. The tin ore sent to Singa- (Laughter) No; an abject admission that pore from Sungei Dua, which was referred thewhole thing is a fraud and a "frost." to in our last report, was of a lower quality (Loud applause). "It is meddless to say," he than the market accepts there. Mr. Becher, adds, "that my endeavours shall be directed red to a Standing Committee any member has follows as a matter of course that where the not move the adoption of the report. I leave with a certain apparatus it can be brought tin mines of Sunghel Dua. . . . . The tin up to a comparatively high quality and industry as prosecuted by thousands of Chinese Singapore are erecting such machinery at pre- and it is a case of good business management it The Sin Yum steam river launch has been to exist in rich deposits as it is in Palang. The ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL-I un of considerable value to us, but now that our We have had "good business management" for time.

His Excellence—It is rather a ridiculous so much lessened it is contemplated, if possible, that there is no tin worth working. (Applance). to find a purchaser for this vessel. I need In a letter dated 5th January, 1889, Mr. Becher

Hon. P. Ryrie-I think, your Excellency, scarcely repeat the regret we feel at not being says "I have now the pleasure to communic te able to report the payment of the sums due us briefly the facts which, after a year of solid proby the London Company. We have come to the gress in bringing both Punjom and Sungei conclusion that it would be imprudent to com- Dua properties from the vague condition of unplicate the position by taking legal proceedings known prospects to the first stages of working for the moment, but it will on reaching London mines, now give us definite knowledge of their be my first duty to co-operate with Mr. Ewart resources and distinct promise of inture success in bringing about the best and earliest settle- in both gold and lin mining operations " I ask m at of this business. We have authorized the you again to compare that with what Mr. £100.000 in shares of £1 fully paid up of the Becher says to-day. Further on he says, "The which course, instead of having scrip to bearer, entirely through and along quartz shoots a stamp duty of £1,500 will be saved, also the assaying up to one onnes and more of gold advantage will be gained of the voting power per ton, while two small streaks were met With regard to these shares we may remind you ring to tunnelling he says, "This slight de-

under the conditions of allotment we are allowed velopment under ground has proved what was to dispose of 20,000 three months after comple- only indicated on the surface namely, the contion of the purchase and 20,000 during every tinnons and extensive nature of the vast quartz questions asked at the last meeting and remarks least 200 foot thickness, and is traceable more or ment of our affairs and of the special duties for country." Compare that with what he says

man so that I must confine my comments to the by greatly increasing the quantities handled to report and balance-sheet as presented. The accomplish sufficiently high results and confirst point, and to my mind a very serious one to stitute an actual percentage of profit on capital." get over, is the London company the " Raby " In conclusion Mr. Becher says "I may Punjom. I could not hear what the Chairman summarise my decided opinion that you have said about it, but it seems that we have received here as good a prospect of developing extenabout £5,000 from it. According to the agree sive and rich gold mines as e ther miner or ment they were to pay all the working expenses mining adventurer can wish for." Where is THE COMPANIES MEMORANDA OF ASSOCIATION from a certain date, and since then we have the rich gold mine promised such as "either spent quite £6,000, but received nothing from i miner or mining adventurer could wish for f This Bill was considered in Committee and them. Who is reponsible for that lackes - (Laughter) Mr. Becher shakes his head. what individual? What security have you Mr. BECHER-I did not say a rich gold mine, for the fulfilment of the promise? Accord- I said the hope or prospect of one. His Excellency-I think, bearing in ing to the report we are "promised an early Mr. Fraser Smith-What I have read to

Becher was not bound solely to this Company, and the Chairman said that he believed that he Hon. C. P. Charen Then perhaps it would The fifth annual general meeting of the was. I also asked what his remuneration was. be better to take a division on the motion of the shareholders of the above Company was hold, and was told £1,500 a year. Now I presume I room, City Hall. There were present :- Mr. amount the new Company will bear P I tlink I

The CHAIRMAN-Certainly. Mr. Leage-I do not propose to tackle the made the motion be content with that for the F. Dodwell. M. G. Parlane, H. E Pol deal of diffidence, considering what we have bedown I think that, in a very few words. I can con--The CHARMAN -At the date of our last half- vince directors and shareholders both that there

tion at the next meeting and so give the Govern- payment of the money due is concerned Mr. only be by accident if a nugget were found in Becher cannot in fairness be held in any way sampling." These are Mr. Becher's practical assays from over 100 tons. Compare the results\_ Mr. Legge-Mr. Chairman and pentlemen: with the results we get here two years after-I am sorry to say that I found it exceedingly wards. Further on he says " Any small profit difficult to hear the remarks made by the Chair- per ton then obtainable bas only to be multiplied

already been voted; it is therefore a more do now is not final; there is nothing to prevent and the different motions bearing upon that the directors will endeavour to do so, but hand is Mr. Becher of to-day. After promising matter of form that the Bill is brought before any member of the Civil Service, who considers the same of which notice has been given, it I wish to get hold of some responsible person. to give us a working mine in six months he now Then I come to Mr. Becher's "report.' He says—says, "It appears to me therefore that the present "It is perhaps the greatest misfortune this stage of entry or a new period of prospecting cases we have already told members of the ser- days now are very short, it gives us very I tile unlucky mine (Jalis) has ever suffered that lease should be regarded as one of distinct tranat the critical moment of our reaching this im- sition, at which this parent company should | pertant stage of development unfavourable finan- | pass from all pretensions of actual mining to a cial circumstances o mbined to hamper its pro- position of simple estate ownership." After Hon. C. P. Charge—After the remarks of ruptry Bill and other Bills of importance will gress. Eighteen months ago I informed you all that has been said about the prospects and The senior unofficial member, who states he has be laid before us for consideration. Of course that powerful pumping machinery would be the money spent on working we are now not had time to go over the Estimates, I think I am always ready to hear any observations necessary to continue mining to any depth, and to develop into the happy condition of estate the better course would be to adjourn their con- the unofficial members may have to make as to when after unavoidable delay the much needed owners of an estate worth nothing. ining plant arrived at Penjom, it was The Chairman made a remark that be did have other duties to attend to, and therefore I placed as it were in Chancery, where not think Mr. Becher was to blame with it still remains in consequence of the continu- regard to the transaction in London as to the Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-I would suggest ation of the same unfortunate circumstances." new Company. I am extremely doubtful whether Why have we not got the pumps put up at the such a Company exists. Up to the present we HIS EXCELLENCY—Have as many extra days mine—if there be such a thing as a mine there— have never heard who are the members of the Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD—The grievances are as you like as far as I am concerned. What why stop working? Why boycott your own Board. What is the status of this Company? would be the most convenient day to the mine. If London could not pay you you were who are the promoters? who are the responsible quofficial members in addition to the ordinary still as largely interested as the London Com- persons connected with it? what have we get? very many.

Hon. T. H. Whitehead—Then it would not to a great extent on the motions of which notice which not has been given to-day and therefore I think per- a practical question and requires a prac- extraordinary thing that there is nothing haps the best plan would be to sit at half-past tical answer. "Meanwhile it is satisfactory in the report about it. What right had Mr. two on Monday text instead of three and in to know," says the report, "that tunds have Becher in making a contract on our behalf to the meantime the hon, member will perhaps been sent to the mines for ourrent require- a bogus Company, or if not a bogus Company. be able to consult the other hone members ments on the Jalis block, where the work is to one not in a position to pay over the contract The CHAIRMAN-I think it would be more in and we may then he able to decide what now being carried on at the expense of the money? If Mr. Becher is not to blame, some No opposition being offered to His Excellency's renewed energy. Necessary additions to the now told in the report that we shall share the exsuggestion the Council adjourned until Monday pumps, to deal with the recent increase of penses of management with the new Company suggestion the Council adjourned until Monday water, have been ordered by Mr. Becher, and That is as far as we have get. We are next at half-past two. before long the lower levels will be again told that we are to be allowed to share accessible, from which it is expected that the the expenses of management with this Com-In the chemical rection of the British Asso- richer voins of ore lately discovered will soon pany which no one has heard anything about ciation on the |Ot | ult. a Paper on Coal Tar produce material for some returns of gold." so far. Now, I think we may give Mr. Hon. Ho Kat-I rise to order. There is a Colours was read by Professor Bummel. An (Laughter) I think that that paragraph speaks Becher a rest. You will remember, gentleof photographic dycing or print bg invented by turns of gold!" after six yours' experience. present Chairman with reference to the condi-

Messrs. A. G. Green, C. F. Cross, and E. T. "Necessary additions to pumps!" What tions under which this portion of the property Bevan. This is the application of Primulive to are they? suckers? or this is the application of Primulive to are they? suckers? or this is the application of Primulive to are they? suckers? or this is the application of Primulive to are they? suckers? or this pumps? I don't had been disposed of, to the so called "Baby various surfaces on which it is intended to pro- know. "Mr. Becher returned from Lundon Punjom" Company, and I remember Mr. duou a design. I he surfaces thus prepared are to Singapore !- no doubt- and is now manny- Brodin and Mr. Chater gave us full explanations. treated with a froquerid. The disgo-derivative, any the Penjom Pahang and this Company's which we accepted as true and substantial so obtained, is extremely conflice to light, properties jointly—anarrangement by which they statements and no doubt Mr. Brodie and Mr. Combined with various coal-far derivatives, if will have the continued banefit of his services Chater were both fully convinced at the time with an advantageous sixtelon of his community that arrestaine was long and mould so beapper,

but unfortunately things have gone wrong and The Charaman -It was not received up to the forming of the Company and the party for the The paragraph Trefer to is as follows: "Mr. nothing unfortunately that was promised has as date of these accounts. to such experienced persons carried conviction to hear now that it has been received. to this Co opany and many lost their little all in placing faith in statements which have never been fulfilled. Before proceeding further I would ask if that £6.000 has ever been paid? IR CHATRDIAN-No.

Mr. FRANER SMITH-Assimather of fact then he I emioni Co. has not carried out its contract with this company? The CHAIRM II-They have paid £5,000.

Mr. SMITH - Chat was bargain money. The CHAIRMAN-Yes. Mr. FRASER SMITH-Then why not kick if they don't come up to the mark.

ly state the exact position of affairs. The CHAIRMAN-It seems to me it doose settlement; that may mean ten years hence.

shares were subscribed for. The CHAIRMAN-That is so.

the time and they then accepted it. accepted the conditions stated by you. But even under your instructions the following to egram you that the quartz was refractory. We have

into that. It is easy to criticise, it is easy to fail us we must get it. langh, it is easy to be personal, but it is not so | men are, but if you will look back in your minds | London is a proof of its bona fides ? you will see that it is not so much the different circumstances af the mine as it is the difference in the share market. The shares-were put up to a ridiculous value. I nover gave the slightestimioranation to justify their going up to such

a prime and you went mud over them for a time.

Mr Bechen-I have just as much right to got up the Pahang Corporation, the bg-do so as you have to make charges against me. gest thing carried through in England: sharsholders took the trouble to look at the correspondence and the reports which are open to for me to make arrangements for the selling of  $\mathbf{n}_{\mathbf{r}}$  pertion of your property; and how I acted on  $\mathsf{T}$ the only people who could possibly take it. At the time they were in a position to carry out what they proposed, but since then, know, the market has undergone a very considerable change. Mines in London are now simply valueless, except for gambling value, and the consequence is that these people are not able to complete the conwriters, and if they can get these shares sold we shall get the money. As to my personal responsibility, that is simply ridiculous. A man can only do his best and I have done mine, and the

only difference between the new and as you formerly knew me is that you are looking at things through different spectacles. There is an old saving that a good mine makes a good manager and I think if you will apply that to this case you will find things in a different state alto other, the meeting then adjourned for tiffin. Or

resunding. The ! Hall May said -- Gentlemen. I will be gin by answering the enquiries put to me by Mr. Large. With regard to the new Company we | have-received \$5,000 from them and nothing firsth r, and the payment of that amount concludes the bargain between us. As to the £6,000 which is still due and as to which Mr Legge asks who is responsible. I can only say that circumstances are responsible mainly Things have changed very consider bly since the continue was signed and the change her no less favourable to the payment of

We have done our best to get the money but we did not think it prudent to go far in pressing yet not be able to say why you cannot get your all of us. (Applause.) these men to pay up. Of course we are pressing them to a certain extent. On the 19th j cular on this matter. I think it is not a and accounts have not yet been passed, would it September we sent this telegram, "Strongly arge to get a settlement in a friendly manner. £6,000. If not settled before shareholders' meeting must openly declare situation and great been paid, I cannot give you any further sticking to the ship till it was in trouble have public disgrace must result." We telegraphed particulars. in those terms because we knew these men had Mr. BECHER-Well, gentlemen, there bas far more mason to fear this matter being made been so very much said that it is very difficult to public than we had, but the money is not remember the points. Some questions have yet for the ming not withstanding. There are been asked actually answered, and asked again, three or four directors at home, but only one who and so many have been put that you will have to is representing us, Mr. Ashton Bell, who has ask me any particular point if there are is open to criticism. The trust you undertook been over to Pahang. He is a director and a some I do not answer. As regards what was a serious one and it was your business to do man bighly respected and I am sure he sees the I did at home I will simply refer you to the the best you could, not simply for your own injustice of this position and will do his very best office and the Directors." I do not think I miss- interests, but for the interests of the Company and will do all I can and Mr. Ewart will also while I was home, writing to the Directors. assist. The three of us will, I think, be able to My weekly letters are in the office and form a manage the business and in a short time I diary of what I did on the Company's behalf. think you may hear of good results. As to the My work occupied me four or five days a week pumps not being erected on this block I may for eleven months and if you do not this k that say that immediately this business was taken up enough I don't know that anyone could do more the pumps arrived and it was a question whe. As for the success of floating the Company, for ther we should continue to work or not. We did that I do not hold myself responsible. It was know whether to put the pump on their property sent home for. I went home to see what could until we knew that they were required, be done in the way of relling the concession. I They were not practically ours. They were know nothing of the business of floating a Com-

of my ability. - --

remarks of Mr. Fraser Smith. . .

of accounts the £5,000 appear . It may be there, were concerned. I only undertook to have this except to benefit the shareholders, I beg to pro- and visit as approved by the stewards. The Chairman it was not then received the shares at d. £5,000 in cash. That was the shares at d. £5,000 in cash. The shares at d. £5,000 in cash. That was the shares at d. £5,000 in cash. The shares but I am unable to see it. accounts because it was not than received

the new Company since the opening of the to take over these working expenses, for as a Mr. Becher is now managing the Penjom nogotiations. 🗅 accounts as an asset P

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their account. so ved payment from them ?

sim le matter. I strongly object to the report and we professed to consult you in everything we and see what work has been done there. I said Singaporean shareholders and those in the accounts. I strongly object to Mr. Becher being did. [The Charman than read extra to from I hoped to make the mine a going concern. I North would be herrified at the idea. allowed to not for as. I strongly object to the the minutes of the meeting at which the offers did make it a going concern. Going concerns Mr. Wilcox-I question very much. Mr of sale were submitted to the shareholders with are not always profitable and this one unfortu- Chairman, whether the directors can legally for years past. The efforts of the directors have the object of showing that the shareholders had nately is one of those that are not. But, never, resign in a body, and in any case I think if you here superficial, perfunctory, and useless. The approved of negotiations for the sale being care theless, I made it a going concern and I t ust did this meeting would refuse to accept your Chairman threw into my face, when I asked the riedout. You will thussee that what was done was yet to make it a profitable one. This can only resignation (Applanse). questionate previous meeting, whether I expected denember your direction. Istill believe that offers be done by a sale, as we have not the means to The Charaman—You are aware that for south ward, close to Silk Street, a bomb having that they could work 200 square miles of for the Panjon and Pahang properties could do it. Many mines have not had a find until my own part I um going away. I have stuck been exploded on the roof of a house there. country. I never did He said they were be raised either here or elsewhere, but not they were 500 or 600 feet down and we are only to my post at very considerable and very serious As the illuminations were going on in the going to sell it in small allotments. What have for some time. I believe the time may come when they done they have done nothing. They we can sell. (Laughter). You may laugh but it sort as one of the richest mines there. Et all was locky that it was have issued mealcoding reports holding out is a fact (Apple se). It is a very large property and there is no reason why we should not strike arrangement that was made I need scarcely discovered in time. expectations here and elsewhere. Now the shares and you have seen very little of it. I see no read it as they have. We may still strike it, we have say, I cannot but say, the same for the other A child reported to have been born in Sinhui are worth 83 per share where is hundreds were son for rataining any particular part if you can only worked 300 or 400 acres. Unr prospec s directors. I do not think such severe driticism as with two heads and four arms. It died in five bought, and legitimately too, for \$30 and more get a good price for it and keep a half interest in washing in the various places are very has been passed upon us was deserved. I do not days time, but the parents have been exhibiting

The CHAIRMAN—No.

proof that it was not a bogus one. The CHAIRMAN-1 meant the manner which the Company was formed and the men who promoted it abowed that it was not a bogus | Chairman, when the £5,000 was paid by the new Company. The promoters were the mou who Company ? with us. I think if you wish to prepare your

vindication you had better commonce from the shareholders want to know, and I believe the business like thing to enter this \$17.000 as an mining experts but I can assure you we have directors should know that. The CHAIRMAN-The shareholders know all the directors know. The directors have never ter of bookkeeping. Where would you put it? interests and those interests I assure you have strayed into a neighbour's premises, and the known any more and are not likely to do. Mr. FRASER SMITH-Then they know nothing Now, Mr. Chairman, I have to call your attention to what you stated under your own signature in the report of the 30th December last. "The directors are glad to inform you that Me tract. The shares are held largely by under Becher has been successful in arranging for the disposal of a portion of our perperty upon the terms which were communicated to the shareholders at the meeting on the 11th ult. and the directors are now awaiting fuller details." You have

just stated the terms on which the arrangemen has been made. Now if Mr. Becher made this arrangement, as is officially stated in the annual report, it would be interesting to know why so many months have been allowed to elapse without this \$50,000 being paid. The CHAIRMAN-I have just told you.

Mr. FRASER SMITH-But you have not. want to know if Mr. Becher was entrusted with the important duty of carrying out this matter why he has not done his duty? If he had we should not be here to-day. It is two years ago The CHAIRMAN—My dear sir, you are a little

erratic. You say it was two years ago. The contract was to take effect from September last. That is one year ago, which I will admit is quite long enough. We have told you that we i have done our best to have the contractor mulefed. I although I have not been able to state why it has j the poncy I do not know that you can look not been completed. You may call more than once and I do not at any one as being particularly responsible. for your bill at many doors in this Colony—I intend to repeat it again. There would be no money. (Laughter). I do not wish to be matter to be treated lightly. I think it is one not be better to pass those before talking about that can be better carried out on the spot than resigning. It is the first time in my experience. by correspondence, but as to why we have no! which is not a short one, that directors after

not know what they intended and we did not a part of my work at home, it was not what I was sold and although not paid for the Company panyand by permission of the directors I appointed to have a little say at a did not wish to do what was practically working pointed a Committee of business men to work for public meeting as to what you have done. You their pumps for them. With regard to the me. The first ommittee had neither the time salary of Mr. Becher it has been in a manner nor the wish to act. I appointed another Commitarranged that his salary shall be divided equally | tee to workfor me and from this point you can see between the two companies. I think I have by my letters and these of Mr. Frasor and Mr. now answered Mr. Leg e's enquiries to the best | Ewart what I did. I do not accept any responsibility for the success of floating the Company. Mr. LEGG & I am very much obliged for the I knew nothing of the Stock Exchange in Lonsatisfactory way in which you have given me an don or the reputation of one promoter over answer to my questions. They were things another. I had to rely on the stability of those which I thought required explanation and on me n from what was told me by a friend. "As to which I thought we were entitled to an explanation the money not being paid the state of the money your duty to the shareholders. (Applause.) market did not allow the underwriters to The CHAI MAN-Certainly you were. There restise and as they took up largely they were do is to ask some gentlemen to propose and

been paid, the dir otors' report did not definite- some degree replied to it. With regard to the tions, because if you go to the office you can look when Mr. Becher and this Company should part. question of who are the promoters of this Com- at the letters, which contain a good deal more than pany. I may state that they were Mr. Waite I can tell you now. With regard to what Mr. Mr. FRAS R SMITH -It seems to me it does and Mr. Fraser, We had no reason to be Fraser Smith has said as to the reports and what nothing of the kind. It promises an early lieve that they were not men in a good posi- I stated about the mine, the first report I gave tion and no other opinion was held here was after I had been there six months. I come The CHAIRMAN-We were actually promised The whole thing was done by telegram. We to Hongkong and I said what Mr. Smith quo'ed did not even know who they were at the just new. I was pleased with what I saw - I had Mr. Frashr Smith-Don't you think that time and even had we I believe they would have taken a good deal of time there-I was plaus. the agent of this Company, who made a bargain been accepted as promoters. It depends mostly with the prospects and I told you so. There which sent up the value of the shares in Sin- on these men whether the settlement of this was an immense amount of quartz on the surface. gapore and elsewhere, don't you think he £6,000 comes about earlier or later. We-did We had not began to sink, but we could see that should by held responsible? It is currently re- nothing in this matter without first c usulting on the surface. We saw a lode, any no would ported on ve y good authority that very few yourselves. The first lelegram was as follows, have said it was a lode, and a very big one, but "Cap tal £15 ,000, purchase money £10 ,000, it is only when you get down and see things The Chairman—That is so.

Mr. Fras is Smith—Then why enter into a Those concerned in London have failed in a it is a lode-or not. This is the only point co tract with a Company which cannot carry degree in carrying out this offer. A very in which I contradicted myself, everything out its contracts. You would not do such a small sum was subscribed in London and else I said I adhere to. I am not given to the underwriters had to take up the shares, exaggreration, in fact I have the reputation for The CHAIRMAN-That would not be realised The underwriters underwrote very largely and being pessimistic. I did not give too sunguine reuntil the Company was on the market. The the state of the money market being bad they ports. I admit that my hopes were more sanwhole thing was put before the shareholders at were unable to realise and this places us in our guine perhaps-I will not say my hopes; that is present position. At the time the telegram was hardly correct—but my expressions were per-Mr. FRASER SMITH J Dog your pardon, they forwarded to us we consulted you and acting haps more sanguine then they are now. I told

the directors have shown that they could not was sent. "We accept terms for 20 miles. Are proved that. We have milled now, not a look over their nesss. In the report of 1888 the purchasers the Pahang Corporation. The hundred but a thousand tons. From some we there was a reference to a steam launch the Punjom Company would like to be represented." obtained four dwts, while from some the assay Simplem, which it was stated was expected to That was your telegram and the result was the was 16 dwts. That shows you its r fractorines. Smith nor Mr. Legge had intended that the direcpany, whereas six months after that the expenses the property without consulting you. We was going back to complete my task and I shareholders who were present. He hoped that over receipts on the hunch were \$2,600. You see, have the power to do so. The Articles should like you to go and see what it is to com. the directors would therefore reconsider their therefore, what ignorance was displayed even in a of Association are quite clear on that point but plate that task. You can look at the picture decision as to resigning. He felt sure that the

believing in the good faith of the directors and. From what I have read I think you can see how so good; we often get two or three ozs. At Jalis know how much or how little of it was menut. the body and propose presenting it to the Hong-Company is worthless and that is due to a in the position which now exists between us. great ex ent to the mismanagement on the part Things have taken a dark appearance and it and when we are fortunate enough to strike a if that would be illegal we do not wish to do it, the editor thinks is atrange. It certainly did of the directors and I do not hesitate to say so. looks as though there had been mismanagement, number of these swall places the result will be In the meantime I may remind you that my seat shew want of consideration, as all her relatives but if you had read all the correspondence which as good. You must recollect that Raub has as has to be fill d and it is therefore necessary to had assembled to congratulate her on the aus-Mr. Lucge while agreeing with the pre- has taken place a good deal would be explained £1,000 000 on their 20-square acre and you elect some one in my stead. I think after a little picious occasion. vinus speaker in the main, said he did not agree away. With regard to the nature of the contract have £100,000 on your 200, and in this report. considertion, you will be able to make up your . The Chinese appear to be sensitive, on the with him quite in regard to the directors. They you will remember, I am sure, the discussion which you say squishes the whole thing, I say were made by their engineer by believing in the which took place when this new Company was nothing, although you have critisised it so adreports he gave them. He now proposed they to be formed. On that occasion I stated that a versely, except that you should become estate should make an adjournment till after tiffin. | contract was made, a contract that the Company holders, and as you yourselves agreed was the Mr. Bechen Gentlemen, if there is to be an should be formed. I never said otherwise. The best way to proceed, as shown in the miuntes. adjurnment now. I will not detain you long. Company is not a bogus Company, it is a Com- I do not know that it is any use saying anything see what work has been done on the property son to fear that we shall not get our money. Of afternoon for I am full of the subject. I do not carried. during the two and a half years things are course the money has not yet been paid to us I apologise for a moment for anything I have said to have been mismanaged. I am not going admit, but unless the gentlemen I have mentioned done. I have done my best and have tried to do my duty towards the Company. (Applause).

Mr. FRASER SMITH-Do you mean to say that It there is any point I have overlooked I will be easy to be as eloquent as some of you gentle- the fact of this Company having been formed in happy to acaver it, if I am asked. I am always glad to see interest taken in the doings of a Company and I am glad to hear Mr. Fraser Mr. FRABER SMITH-You said the fact of the Smith of anyone else who has taken such interest Punjom Company. I have no doubt wary Company having been formed in London was a in the Company, but I should have liked it better. if some one who has more confidence in what I have done had made a few remarks. Mr. Frankr Smith-Will you tell us. Mr.

> The CHAIRMAN-On the 10th July. Mr. FRABER SMITH - I'hot has nothing todo colered into in Dacomber twelve months before. that the directors have taken a very great in-The HAIRMA - Yes

rave a large loss account, \$275,000, (Laughter). Mr. E. L. WOODIN said the reason the directors did not press for the payment of this money more strongly than they had was because they did not consider it would be to the interests of the shareholders to do so There was no reason why it should not be pressed if the share-The CHAIRMAN-I should advise you not to wreck a cone ratio which you have £100,000 not despair of Punjom yet and I hope the time \$7 a night to Chinese officials as hush money. worth of shares. It is quite possible they may parry out their contract and thus render our scrip worth money. If you make use of any strong action the result may be very lifferent, However, you are at liberty to do as you like. Well, gentlemen, after the expressions of Mr. Frager Smith and the considerable amount of support they received from you, I do not think there is any step we can take but one. I think in this matter I represent all the directors present.—I cannot undertake to interpret the feelings of those who are absentand our intention is to resign our position now and leave it in the hands of this meeting to

ind another Committee. We have done our best, use in doing so. We resign, gentlemen, one and Mr. FRASER SMITH—Seeing that the report

then, like rats, cleared from it. (Applause). The CMAIRMAN-That is not what we are doing. We have stuck by it, but we are not going to sit here to be fired at by you or any one else. Mr. Fraser-Smith-I beg your pardon. I am not firing at you. Andirectors your conduct. to rectify it. I shall be there myself shortly ed a single week, except perhaps Xmas week | am not saying, nor have I said, that the directors | Forbes (Chairman), E. L. Woodin, J. Grant, E. of this Company have not done their best, I only H. Gore-Booth M. Grote, E. M. Rutter, G. S. say their best is not very much, esperially with Coxon, T. I. Rose, A. Karberg, W. Goosmann, regard to the proposed transfer of the Company's A. G. Morris. J. Machado, J. Lewis, H. property. I say they might have done more, Hoppins, D. R. Sasson, H. Hohnke, S. R. but I have never said here, nor has any one in Lammert, L. Mendel, G. H. Potts, C. Hurst, this meeting, that we had not confidence in W. Armstrong, H. W. Dick, E. Robinson, the good intentions of the directors. At the J. Ezekiel, J. Rogge, H. T. S. Green, J. M. last meeting when there was a very strong feeling | Forbes, W. Cruickshank, A. W. Maitland against the directors I was the one who got up and J. J. Bell-Irring, W. Slaghek, W. von Wille expressed my confidence in their good faith and S. I. Dauby, R. Lyall, A. O'D. Gourdin, R. K. that received almost the unanimous support of Leigh, O. Wegener, &c. those present. We trusted you then and we trust you still, but we intend to have a little say at a the report and accounts. are open to criticism and we have tried to criticise, but I appeal to you or to any member of this meeting to point out one thing that has even hinted at want of confidence in the good faith of the directors in either what I or Mr. Lagge-liss said. Before, however, talking about

resigning you have one duty to perform and that is to get the report and accounts passed' think it premature in the highest degree to talk of resigning before you have fulfilled-The CHAIRMAN-Then the best thing we can

Mr. FRAS & SMITH-I understood it was the part of the first contract. There are put. I beg to propose that the paragraph re- Chairman and the Clerk of the Course the meet. always two contracts in these cases; one for the ferring to Mr. Hacher be left out of the penort. ing algorit.

Company taking over from the promotors. The H. M. Bucher a turned from London to yet been realise i. I have so doubt Mr. Prasen Smrre -That was all I wanted to first one was simply to buy for £5,000 in each Singapore in the middle-of July and basquit is tiffed in making by heat of a bad but know. There is no reference to it in the report of and £100,000 in shares. The £5,000 in cash has siven beautiful he has gain and in covering over the wounded Company The CHAIRMAN-The money was received been paid and the £100,000 worth of shares has full inspect in. He remained several as but he could, and ho ding out hopes to us. a ter the accounts were made out. I thought been banded over. The payment of expenses weeks at Penjom making the accounts were made out. I thought When we had had Mr. Brodie and Mr. Becher there was a reference to it in the report. I am after September was only a secondary consideration of the staff and programme down there to look at matters, the opinion of sorry if it has been omitted, but it is satisfactory tion and was one which I agreed should be carried of operations contingent on the transfer of the out be anse I wanted this Company to got as Julia Block, after which he visited Sunghie Dun Mr. FRANCE SHITH-What does the \$17,000 much as possible refund d to it. As a mutter of a d inspected all the workings at that concest the best quality, and they even surpass foreign alternative the new Company might not have sion. He was now come to Hongkong and pre- countries in a new rifle they are now making at The CHAIRMAN -Disbursements on behalf of agreed to pay it all. They might have refused souted his report, a copy of which you receive.

matter of fact the Company was not regis. Pahang and this Company's properties joint. which will penetrate a steel plate of a quarter of Mr. FR. SER SMITH-It is entered in the tred till February. They might have rely an arrangement by which they will have the an inch in thickness at 100 feet. It is also proposed fused to pay these expenses for the inter- continued banefit of his services with an advant that China shall make her own steel, which will The CHAIRMAN-It is a disbursement on vening months. If you have not got the tageous division of his remuneration." I am money for your expenses it is hardly right to strongly of quinion, and Mr. Becker's remarks Mr. FRASER SMITH -And you have not re- lay so much stress on that p int; you have simply have only confirmed that opinion; that Mr. got the best barrain von can. You should Brohor is not the man for our money in The CHARMAN -No, it forms part of the look upon it that if the new Company does not the Straits Settlements. I consider he has £3,000 of which I spoke. Well, gentlemen, to pay you it is not a debt owing and if you do grossly mismanaged our affairs in London and pendant of foreign equatries as far as materials The CHAIRMAN-We may do that some day resume, there is a good deal in what Mr. Smith cottain it you are very fortunate. I cannot say that he has grossly mismanaged, and still more said that can be better answered by Mr. more than that. With regard to what I did in grossly misrepresented, the state of affairs at editor has experienced at the prospect prevents. Mr France Smith said if this sam hal not Booker than by mysolf, and he has already in London Tam not going to answer further quest the mine. I think the time has now arrived

> Mr. J. Jones seconded. Mr. LEGGE -I have no objection to that para: graph being withdrawn. (Applause). The amendment was then put to the meeting but the numbers for or against were not declared as .- Mr. GORE-BOOTH proposed that a pull should be taken.

A poll was then taken with the following resuit: -For the amendment-170, against the ad from Battery Tax is also summarily refused, amendment 222 Mr. Fraser Smith-May I ask how many votes the directors carried?

The CHAIRMAN—57.

future they might get better results. Mr. Gore-Booth agreed with the remarks of Mr. Gomes. He was certain that neither Mr.

be elected to fill the vacancy on the Board. no doubt prove a very useful man.

Mr. Wilcox seconded and the motion was

Mr. S. A. Joseph proposed that the retiring directors, Messrs. W. Wotton and D. Gillies, bere-elected. Mr Judan seconded.

Carried unanimously. Mr. Gillies-Gentlemen, we have met von here this afternoon to discuss the report of the present has taken very great interest in it. at allevents if not each holder of shares, everyone who amount we beer was paid as compensation to the held sufficient to have an interest in M and to | relatives of the coolie who died last week, from wish for its prosperity. I think a good deal of the effects of a kicking alleged to have been readvorse criticism has been passed on the directors for their management, or rather their mis. in our last issue. managem ut of the Company, as it has been ex-Mr. Frasen Smi "H-And the Contract was pressed by some shareholers present. I assure you terest in the Company and I do not know of a Consular bodies in Amoy will take some steps to Mr. FRASER SMITH I think that knocks on single Company in Hougkong where the director bring the matter to the notice of the Chinese New Malwa Mr. Becher did in London. That is what the sidered as to this £6.00). I think it a very un- (Applause). We are not export miners or one aspect. all tried to learn as much as we could in connec-

The CHAIRMAN - We were bound to as a m t-1 with mines in order that we might further your liest. It appears that a number of ducks had Mr. Fushen Smith-In suspense account, met with our most careful consideration. We party belonging to them (thinking that they The CHAIRMAN -You can put it where you have never hesitated to come to the many meet. had been stolen), with about tifty others, armod please. We had no profit and less account to ings that have been called. We may have with bamboos, set upon and beat an old man to erred, and if we did err we had at least a death. His wife also was severely beaten and is Mr. FRAS R SMITH-I beg your pardon, we proper object in view, and that was your in bot expected to recover from the injuries she terests, (Hear, hear). We should be very glad in recaived deed when shareholders come to a meeting and hear the report read if they not only patronized by the boys and coolies employed at criticised us, but directed us as much as they | the houses on Kulangau, and also by the gigmen and I assure you if you can put us right in services -is in full swing at Lin-tow, not many we shall be only too glad to follow it. I do told that the party running the den has to pay may come when it will be considered, as it has -Amoy Guzette. already been expressed, a good working and profitable mine. I need hardly say how very near we were to success a short time ago. If this property had been placed on the London market at an earlier period I have every reason to believe the Company would have floated successfully The shares would have been taken up and we should have had our £100.000 in our bockets. and instead of despairing and crying out so much you could have said, "Well, Punjom was a very good thing after all." I do not think I need say much more, but I can assure you the Directors have bidden nothing from you. If a shareholder wishes to know anything the Secretary is always

rendy to show him correspondence an every thing he can so that no shareholder can be placed in any worse position than the directors We desire to do everything we can for the Company and we know that if our notions do not meet with your approval the only alternative is to resign, as has been already intimated by our Chairman, (Applause). Mr. JOREY proposed that Mesers. F. Henderson and R. Lyall be elected auditors. The motion was carried and the meeting then

Mr. Solomon seconded.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Hougkon's Jookev. Club was held at the City Hall yesterday after noon. There were present: -Messrs. W. H. Roihow ...... Haiphong ...... The CHAIRMAN proposed the adoption of

Mr. Goundin seconded, and the motion was A ballot was then taken for the election of stewards for the ensuing season, with the result that the following gentlemen were elected -Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. J. J. Keswick, Hon. C. P. Chater, Messrs. G. S. Cozon, W. H. Porbes.

Grant. R. M. Gray, M. Grote, and H. Hop-

Mr. MAITLAND said be had a motion to bring forward. If had been suggested to him that an alteration should be made in by law No. 6. At pre Force sent it read "All horses and ponies must be the Weather bona fide property of those who enter them and is nothing at all which we have any desire to unable to pay up. I would not accept the responsible from you. I now propose to deal with the sibility and I telegraphed to the Directors. I Mr. Legge—As one who has taken consider—of the Hongkong Jockey Club." He suggested no one shall be allowed to ride unless a member did my atmost to negotiate the sale, but those able interest in this Company, and that in no that it be amended to read " No one shall be al-Mr FRANER SMITH -Before doing so, sir, who were appointed were responsible to the spirit of opposition, for nothing I have said lowed to ride except members of the Hongkong. will you kindly point out where in the statement | directors as far as the bargain and the contract | either at this meeting or before had any object. Jockey Club, officers of the Army and Navy,

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. EXTRACTS FROM THE "KWANG-PAO," &c. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. 24th October. Monday, 27th October. A leading article appears on the develop EXCHANGE. ment of manufactures in Chine. In the last twenty years China has learnt to turn out steamors, ironolads, torpedoes, and firearms of Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ......3/44 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ...... 3/44 Credits, at 4 months sight .......3/5 Shanghai in the arsenal there, the bullet of Dogumentary Bills, 4 months' sight 3/54 Credits at 4 months wight ......4.32 On Germany.— be a great saving in many ways. China is now after alight .....developing its copper mines in Yunnan, its iron On New York.mines in Kiang-su and its gold mines in the North, and very shortly China will be inde-Ом Вомвач. for ironolads and great guns go. The joy the .his.sleeping... CALCUTTA .---The silk merchants have been applying to the Reconstruction Board for permission to use Bank, on demand 22t steam launches to tow the silk boats, but the BHANGHAL -----Lekin Office objects, and as the Board says the Bank, at might ......721 route followed by the silk boats is well guarded and the boats themselves are well armed there VEREIGNS, Bank's Boying Rate..... 5.87 is no reason for the application and as the employment of steam power would probably lead to JOINT STOUK SHARES. smuggling and the falling off of the lekin re-Mr. (fours seconded, and the motion was come their application has been rejected. An COMPANY. PAID UP.) QUOTATIONS. application also on the part of the silk piece 8anks— Hongkong & S'hai.

goods manufacturers at Chantson to be exempt. the Silk Guild being apparently out of favour. The students who have come from Sinning for the examinations have addressed the authorities through the Literary Chancellor in regard Brown & Co., H. G., Mr. FRASER SMITH-That would make up to the long delay that has taken place in finding Campbell, Moored Co. out the murderers of a student from that place China Borneo ....... The CHAIRMAN -Yes, if they were all on one | who was found dead in the street of the Tartar | China Sugar ....... City during the last examination. Since the The orginal motion was then put and carried, establishment of the Weising lottery the lives | Chinese Loan'86 E. | Tis: 250 | 11 p.ct. prem. Mr. Gowes said after the explanation given of prominent students are not altogether safe | Cruickshank & Co.... by the Chairman he thought the shareholders as it is becoming the practice to try to nobble had every confidence in the directors, and parhaps, probable successful candidates at the examinaif the Company were better managed in the tions and the students as a class naturally resent Green Island Coment any apparent lukewarmness on the part of the H. Brick & Cement. Magistrates in searching out the guilty when H. & C. Bakery ..... A band of robbers broke into a house near the Hongkong Electric... prove a permanent source of revenue to the Com- sale of your property. We might have sold from a technical point of view. I told you I tors should resign, nor, he was sure, did any of the pig market at the back of Shameen in the early H. H. L. Tramways. morning some days ugo and got off clear with Hongkong Ice...... some hundred dollars worth of plunter, a H. & K. Wharf & G.

pleasing comment on the security of life and pro. H. Steam Laundry... perty in the chief city\_of the province.-The contractor for the new bund in front of the Kuan-ti Mao at Fatshan having failed to Hotelscarry out his contract to construct it for Tls. 10.000, the centry there have subscribed \$3,000 more, and having got a better engineer, he is now making good progress.

subject of invasions of their jurisdiction, al-Mr. R. B ALLEN proposed that Mr. J. Orange | though they do not hesitate to send their revenue cruisers into Hongkong Harbour, judging Mr. Chairman—He is an engineer and would from a little row which has taken place at Yaoping, on the borders of this province. The Fukkien police, it appears, had followed crimical over the border and were attacked and Plantingpounded by the villagers. As they had no warrant from the Yao-ping Magistrate the villagers are uphold by their Authorities on the ground

> that the police had no business there. AMOY. A coolie's life in Amoy, it would seem, is valned at the elaborate figure of \$80. This is the

ceived on board the steamer Fokien as noted as Notwithstanding the decapitations the other of Amoy we are told. It is to be hoped that the

A serious affray with loss of life is reported to have taken place at Changeliew on the 20th

A gambling hell which is said to be largely could. We are always open to receive opinion of the various hougs. Customs, and Consulate having arrived from the above ports, Consignees connection with the work of the Pubiom doors from the Ya-men. Gambling-to a great Bills of Lading for countersignature by the holders would take the responsibility of doing so. Company in order that we may arrive at success extent must be carried on, considering, as we are Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of

> MESSES. FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER, Occ. 27TH. Barometer 1 r. n....30.13 Thorm. 1 r.m. (Wet bulb) 66 Barometer 4 P.K., St. 10 Therm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 66 Thermon. 9 A.M....72 Therm. Maximum ......... 74 Thormom. 1 P.M....71 Therm. Minimum (over Thermom. 4 P.M ...74

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 26TH OCTOBER, AT 4 P.M.

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Hangkong Obsarvatory, 37th October, 1890

The "Ben" Line steamer Benlomend left Singapore on the 27th linst, and is due here on the 3rd November. \$125 | 230, cum new issue ----[buyers 190. ex new issue: £21.5 | \$250, buyers Do. New Issue..... Do. Fractl. Certifs. 27.1.8 475 New Oriental . **\$**50 | **\$**55 -\$10 \$10, nom. **\$**50 | **\$1**3. Chinese Loan '84 C... 5 p. ct. prem., nom. \$50 \$45, nom. \$10 | \$12, nom. . . **\$25 | \$2**3 \$25 \\$20, nom. 250 | \$24, buyers \$18.50 \$18, nom. \$50 | \$75, nom. Hongkong & C. Gas. £10 | \$120, nom. **\$**6 | **\$6** \$100 | \$110. sellers \$25 | \$100, sellers \$50 \$75 \$50 | nom. \$50\_( \$126, buyers\_ Hongkong\_Rope.. \$125 | \$76 p.ct. pm. buyers \$50 | 50 p. ct. dis., nom. Austin Arms \$100 \$160, buyers Hongkong Hotel... \$40 | \$20, sales Peak Hotel ..... \$15 | \$10, nom. Shameen ..... nsurunces--\$50 .3117 Canton ..... China Fire ..... **\$2**0 | **\$**89 325 | 364 .... China Traders' \$50 \$330, buyers Hongkong Fire \$20 | \$9, sellera Singapore...., Straits Fire ..... \$20 | S17 \$20 | \$15, buyers Straits Marine ... Union: ...... Yangtaze ...... -\$100:+\$93-mellermand & Building-H. Land Investm't Kowloon Land Inv. \$300 \$30, sellers Peak Building..... \$13 nom. Humphreys Estate. \$100 | \$200 West Point Buildg. \$100 \$111, buyers Luzon Sugar Mining— Balmoral Gold \$10 \$12 sellers Charbonuages...... \$131.58 | \$425, sellers \$4.84 | \$81, sales & buyers Imuris ..... Jelebu .... Punion ...... Selama ...... \$2 | \$2, buyers East Borney ...... \$35 | \$21, selleта Labuk Planting ... \$25 \$12, sellers Lamag Planting...

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E. & S. COXON\_ Share Brokers. Per Pioni. 'Allow'ce. 2 to 21 11 to 23 Catna (New) .. ..... \$485 peripical. | Benares (Old) ......\$4771

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEE FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. " OCEANA "

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their their goods from alongside. Option cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-

Any cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining Banking Corporation; the said Shares will be

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the No Fire Insurance has been effected.

ŠIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, 23rd October, 1890. STEAMSHIP "OXUS." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE. YONSIGNEES of Cargo from London Ex-U S. S. Dourg and Ebre, from Havre Ex S. S. Douro, from Bordeaux Ex Nante Bordeaux, in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless

before 10 A.M., TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), re- of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable questing it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Goods remaining unclaimed after WEDNES- ENLARGEMENTS of PHOTOS. and VIEWS and

landing charges at one cent per package per Opal. the 31st inst., or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Agent. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1890. UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES FROM HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM, - AND SINGAPORE. FITHE Steamship

"YORKSHIRE." Captain Arnold, having arrived from the requested to send in their Bills of Lading to Owners, will be RESPONSIBLE for My the undersigned for countersignature and to DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crown take immediate delivery of their Goods from of the following Vessels during their stay in

The steamer is berthed at Kowloon Piers ADOLPE, Ger. bark, Westgaard,-Carlowitz & and Cargo impeding her discharge will be at ! once landed and stored at consignees' risk and Alice Many Brit. bk., S. Sampson-Gilman & expense and no Fire Insurance will be affected. instant, or they will not be recognized.

RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, buth October, 1890.

VESSELS EXPECTED. HE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. steamer China, with the American mail, left San Francisco on the 9th October, via Honolulu.

THE CANADIAN MAIL The C. P. steamer Sussea, with the Canadian muil. left Yokehama on the 24th and is due on the 30th inst. The C. P. steamer Batavia, with the Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the 10th inst.

THE-INDIAN-MAIL "~ the Indo China steamer. Wingsang, with the Indian mail, left Singapore at 6 a m. on the 25th. and is due on the 31st inst. THE GELMAN MAIL.

The N. D. L. steamer Brownschweig, with the German mail of the 30th ult., left Singapore at daylight on the 26th and is due here on the 31st inst.

MERCHANT RTEAMER. The N. G. I. steamer Bornida left Singapore on the 21st and is due on the 28th inst. The "Union" Line steamer Guy Mannering wit Singapore on the morning of the 23rd and is due on the 29th inst. The O. S. S. Co's steamer Myrmiden less Singapore on the morning of the 24th and is due on the 31st inst.

## POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The Postal Guide for 1890, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory . 760. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in-Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Straits and Calcutta.—Per A. Apear, tolay, the 28th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Halfong -- Per Haipkong, to-day, the 28th inst., at 2.30 г.м. For Canton.—Per Powan, to-day, the 28th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Kudat and Sandakan.—Per Memnon, tomorrow, the 29th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Tientsin.—Per Kaifong, to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Nansing, tomorrow, the 29th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Zafiro. tomorrow, the 29th inst., at 3.30 p.m. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Verona, on Thursday, the 30th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits, and Bombay.—Per Venetia, on

Friday, the 31st inst., at 11.80 A.M. For Bungkok - Per Picciola, on Friday, the 31st inst. at 4.00 p.m. For Yokohama, and San Francisco.—Per Gaelio, on Monday, the 3rd November, at 0.30 **2.16**. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

The British Contract Packet Robillo will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 30th inst. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe. and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements; Netherlands:India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines fall responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. LIMITED.

-NOTICE-TO-SHAREHOLDERS DIVIDEND of \$2 per Share has this day A been declared, being further Interest on Capital to 31st December, 1889, at the rate of 4 per cent, per Annum (making the total Interest on Capital for 1889 14 per cent.) WARRANTS may be had on application a the above Office on and after WEDNESDAY, the

-JARDINE,-MATHESON-& Co...-General Agents. CANTON, INSURANCE -office, limited.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED

4 N INTERIM DIVIDEND on account of 1890 at the Rate of SEVENTY CENTS per TEN DOLLAR SHARE for 7 per cent. on the Capital of the Company) will be PAYABLE at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank on and after the 5th Proximo, on Warrants-to-be-obtained of the Undersigned.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from Saturday the 1st Proximo till Saturday the 8th Proximo both days inclusive. during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered. By-Order

T. H. TALBOT, Hougkong, 23rd October, 1890, THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. SECOND CALL OF \$15 PER SHARE DUE JULY 17TH 1890.

TOTICE is hereby given that unless the N above be paid, together with Interest at the Rate of 12 per cent, per Annum from the said due date, to the Hongkong and Shanghai undelivered after the 29th inst. will be subject | dealt with in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company

By Order of the Board of Directors. J. WHEELEY. Hongkong, 24th October, 1890. 10 ORTLAND CEMENT

J.B. WHITE & BROS. SOLE AGENTS FOR CHIMA. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. Hongkong, Eth April, 1883,

FOR SALE. Just received from Peking. AN INVOICE OF FINE. DEKING CLOISONNE WARE, com-

prising VASES of Assorted Sizes. BOTTLES, ORNAMENTS, etc. G. R. LAMMERT. Audioneer. Hougkong, 19th September, 1890. A FONG. PHOTOGRAPHER

A Has just added to his COLLECTION intimation is received from the Consignees of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. in his Studio or at Messrs. KELLY & WALSE'S. IVORY MINIATURES of Superior Quality and of Excellent and High Finish. PERMANENT DAY, the 29th inst., will be subject to rent and reproductions of the same on Faper, Canvas, or

INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POR-All Claims must be sent in to me on or before TRAITS are taken in any state of the weather. and all Permanent Processes, are executed on Moderate Terms. STUDIO-ICE HOUSE LANE. 186

> SANG COAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP. TION OF COAL. Address: -- Care of Mesers. Kwong Sang & Co. NO. BY PRAYA.

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MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, 24th October, 1890, 2105	SECRETARY.  at Office, 16, Praya Central.  Hongkong, 11th June, 1890.   1365	Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman Managing, C.P.CHATER, Vice-Chairman Directors.	For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,	- E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 23rd October, 1890. [2294]	LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS	Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.
TO-LET.	tin Co. 16 TOOD	LEE SING, Eso. St. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.	Hongkong, 23rd October, 1890. 2290	STEAM FOR	ALEXANDRIA: MARSEILLES, AND FORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;	PANY, LIMITED.
ODOWN No. 476, in Matheson Street, 🗘		J. B. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq.	THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,	SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID,	LONDON, HAVEE, AND BORDEAUX.  N THURSDAY, the 6th November, 1890,	HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.
Apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.	CHAN YAU,	POON PONG. Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.	LIMITED.	BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE.	at Noon, the Company's Steamship "CALEDONIEN," Commandant de Menbeuge,	BUARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG. Esq.
Hongkong, 22nd October, 1890.	No. 1, Lower/Mosque Terrace. Hongkong, 20th August, 1890.   1868	BANKERS: THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-	FOR LONDON.  THE Company's Steamer	PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; ALSO, BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND	with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above	Kan Hup Em Vow Chong Panc Em
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TIWO HOUSES at WILD DELL BUILD-	nt a moderate mortal	Money advanced on Mortgage on Land or Buildings. Properties purchased and sold.	as above on or about the 28th inst.  For Freight, apply to	Bills of Lading for Batavia, Persian Gulf Ports, Marshilles, Trieste,	transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.	payable at any of its Agencies.
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ag Rooms. English Kitchen, Fowl House, Con-	No. 185, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST, such flat containing 4 Rooms, Cookhouse, Bath Room and Closet.	Land, &c., conducted.  Full particulars can be obtained at the Com-	Hongkong, 16th October, 1890.	FENHE PERINGULAR AND CHIENTAL STRAW	November, 1890. (Parcels are not to be sent	WOO LIN YUEN.
HENRY HUMPHREYS. E	The Ground Floor of No. 137, Queen's Road East, lately occupied as a restaurant and very	A. SHELTON HOOPER,	SHIP-COMPANY, LIMITED.	"ROHILLA," Captain F. Speck, with Her	Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are	No 2 Queen's Road West.
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Hancton's and Montember 1891 11865	he rocks in the backyard.  The Ground floor of No. 141, Queen's Road East, lately occupied as an European Grocery.		"ZAFIRO,"	Cargo will be received on board until	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.	COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870.
<u> </u>	Store.  The Top Floor of No. 5, Arsenal Street, con-	STRAITS, LIMITED.	Captain Cobban, will, be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 29th inst., at 4 P.M.	nntil 4 P.M. on the day before sailing.  For further particulars regarding FEEIGHT	Hongkong, 25th October, 1890.	HEAD OFFICE,—Hongkong.  CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS.
WO Comfortable and well Furnished BED-	nining two Rooms and an out-house - S Euro-	Capital Subscribed£1,000,000 RESERVE FUND£40,000	RUSSELL & Co.,	and Passage apply to the Peninsular & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S	NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.	PAID-UP CAPITAL \$ 100,000 RESERVE FUND 700,000 CLAIMS PAID 759,000
Nos. 23 and 25, Queen's Road East.	41 Wanchai Road.	BOARD OF DIRECTORS: WM. KESWICK (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.) Chairman	Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.   2310	Office, Hongkong.  The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.	STEAM FOR	BONUSES PAID
_KOWLOON.	European Quarters, and are all supplied with European Grates.  For any further particulars apply to W.	& Co.)	STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-	Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's	PORT BALD,	PREMIA.  JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.
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"KIMBERLEY."	Hongkong, 6th September, 1890.	ing Corporation). S. WYLLYS POMEROY (Messrs. Russell & Co.) F. D. Sassoon (late Messrs. David Sassoon	"VERONA." Captain F. H. Seymour, will leave for the above	for Marseilles.  E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.	SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;	NOTICE.
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ooms, and usual Quarters.  For further particulars, apply to	ROAD. Gas and Water laid on.	HONGKONG COMMITTEE:	E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkoug, 20th October, 1890. [2271]	CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY	GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.	The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com- pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.
W. S. MARTEN, 2. Duddell Street.	E, J. M c/o Office of this paper.	W. H. FORBES (Messrs. Russell & Co.) Chairman. Hon. J. J. KESWICK (Messrs. Jardine,	NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.	COMPANIES.	THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS	NORTON & Co. Agents.
Hengkong, 26th June, 1890.	Bongkong, 27th September, 1890.	Matheson & Co.) Hon. C. P. CHATER.	NOTICE.	Proposed Sallings from Hongkong, 1890.	N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THEOUGH	Hongkong 16th July, 1887.
TO LET.  TOS. 7 & 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE.	TO BE LET.	This Company is now prepared to make Loaus	STEAM TO SHANGHAL KOBE, AND	(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)  BATAVIA TUESDAY, 11th Nov.  ABYSSINIA THURSDAY, 4th Dec.	BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.  N SUNDAY, the 23rd day of November,	NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
OFFICES & CHAMBERS in CONNAUGHT	BOOMS on SECOND FLOOR of (Marine)	or advances upon all kinds of Goods and upon approved Securities; and to transact the business provided for in the Memorandum of Association.	(Passing through the INLAND SEA).	PARTHIA THURSDAY, 25th Dec. BATAVIA SUNDAY, 25th Jan.	"BRAUNSCHWEIG," Captain F. A. Meier,	As Agents of the above Company we are prepared to accept RISKS against FIRE at
IOUSE, Queen's Road Central. OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS. TUSCULUM, MAGAZINE GAP.	Telegraph House. "BISNEE VILLA," PORFOLUM.	For information, terms of business, &c., apply to	"GENERAL WERDER,"	ABYSSINIA THURSDAY, 19th Feb.	with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALL-	d Current rates. RUSSELL & Co.
No. A OLD BAILEY STREET. No. 11. SEYMOUR TERRACE.	BREEZY POINT, BONHAM ROAD, with Tennis Lawn. "THE HOMESTEAD."—Mount Kellett	Secretary,	Captain M. Eichel, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 1st November.	" HATAYLA."	Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M.	THE NOR H GERMAN FIRE INSUR
No. 3, GOUGH HILL, THE PEAK Fur-	Apply to	Victoria Buildings, Queen's Road.  Hongkong, 3rd May, 1890. 11074.	For further Particulars, apply to  MELCHERS & Co., Agents.	DAY, the 11th November, will proceed to VAN- COUVER, VIASHANGHAI, INLAND SEA,	Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 22nd, November. (Parcels are not to be sent or	ANCE COMPANY OF HAMDUNG.
Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.	SHARP & Co., Telegraph House.	THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.	Hongkong, 27th October, 1899.	KOBE, and YOKOHAMA.  RATES OF PASSAGE.	Board: they must be left at the Agency's Office) Contents and Value of Packages are required.	AGENTS for the above Company, are
Hongkong, 11th-October, 1889 40 -	Hongkong, 4th October, 1890. [41]	AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000.	and the state of t	From Hongkong, First Class. To Vancouver and Victoria	The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.	prepared-to-GRANT_INSURANCES to the extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at our-rent rates.
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MENT & AGENCY Co., Lo. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1890. [152]	rooms face the Harbour, and have a splendid view of Hongkong.  For further particulars, apply to	THE DANK receives money on Deposit,	For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, HELL & Co	real, New York, Albany, Buf- falo, Niagara Falls, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington	will lead here for the above Port, and will have	Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS, against FIRE
TO LET.	W. S. MARTEN, 2. Duddell Street.	Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business	Agents. Hongkong, 23rd October, 1890.	To Quebec, Boston, Portland (Maine) \$295.00 To Halifax, St. Johns	quick despatch.  For Freight, apply to	REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.
OUSE No. 7, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE. Possession from 1st October Next.	HOUSEOUR, 2004 2446, 1050.	generally on terms to be had on application.	NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (Florio & Rubattino United Companies).	To Liverpool	Hongkong, 31st July, 1890. 1711	1 Hongkong, 1st July, 1889, 235
Apply to R. G. A.	TO LET.  RAIGELLACHIE, B, BONHAM ROAD.	Interest allowed on Deposits:— Fixed for 12 wouths, 5 per Cent. per Annum	STEAM FOR	To Harve and Hamburg \$335.00	FIRE A. I. British Ship	SOUTH BRITISH FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF
Hongkong, 11th September, 1890.   2003	Apply to	Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per	SINGAPORE; PENANG, AND BOMBAY, having connexion with Company's Mail Steamers	land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic	Jenkyns, Master, will load here for the abov	PAID-UP CAPITAL AND BESERVES £210,000
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G. C. ANDERSON. 13, Praya Central.	Possession.	NOTICE.	Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.	Return Tickets.—First and second class only.  —Prepaid return tickets to Pacific Coast	V1. <u>1</u>	Current rates and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.  GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co.,
Hongkong, 31st March, 1890. 1764 TO LET,	Peak District, near Plunkett's Gap.	SAVINGS BANK	"BORNIDA."	Points, and to Eastern and Interior Points of Canada U.S.A. will be granted, available for:—	"SINTRAM."  M. A. Woodside. Master, will load here for th	Agents. 6. Queen's Road, Hongkong.
<del></del>	If sold part of the Purchase money can remain on Mortgage.  Apply to	I.—The business of the above Bank will be	C. Gavazzo, Master, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 7th November, at Noon.	6 months at 95 per cent off Return Roya	above port, and will have quick despatch.  For freight, apply to	Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.   399
TERRACE. Newly Constructed. Cheap	JOHN A. JUPP. Secretary,	conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong, Business hours on week-days, 10	At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Victoria Dock.	date of re-embarkation at Vancouver)	Hangkong, 10th September, 1890. 1199	The Undersigned are now prepared to
Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS	THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LD. Hongkong, 6th October, 1890.   1538	to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than 31, or more than \$250 at	CARLOWITZ & Co	terior and Eastern Points of Canada and H.S.A. not holding prepaid return tickets but who re	FOR NEW YORK.  LITHE 3/3 L I. I. American Ship	GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.
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ham Street, at present in the occupation	\$50,000 ef this Company's DE- BENTURES are now	hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.	STEAM FOR HAIPHONG DIRECT. Taking Cargo for Tourane and Quinhon.	fares (Mexican Dollars) CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued to	CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 2nd October, 1890.   215	ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON.
Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	offered to the public in sums of not less than \$50. These Debentures bear Interest at the	annum will be allowed to Denositors on their	THE Company's Steamship	Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Capadian and United States Points.	HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAN	Agents for the above Company, are pre-
Hongkong, 2nd October, 1990.  2157	rate of 8 per cent. per Annum.  For further particulars and forms of applica-	5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with	shortly after the arrival of the next English	t States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer	WINTER TIME TABLE.	pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates.
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QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately occupied by the New Oriental Bank, also the GROUND	Secretary.	Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.	G. DE CHAMPEAUX,	Railway Company, Vancouver, B.C.  PARCELS must be besent to our office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day	1 12 (Noon) to 1 p.m. every quarter of an hour.  y 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. every half an hour.	THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC
FLOOR of the Building; suitable for Offices or a Store.  Apply to	CAUTION, TO SHIPOWNERS AND	6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkond Savings Bank	NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD	previous to sailing.  For Further information as to Passage and	3 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour.  SATURDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 p.m.	COMPANY, LIMITED.
LINSTEAD & DAVIS Hongkong, 1st August, 1890.	DARTJEN'S ANTI-FOULING COM-	Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China	NOTICE.	Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,	and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 a.m.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. SECOND CALL
TOLET	POSITIONS. Other makes than our original Manufacture are now being sold.	7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand. but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of	P STRAM TO SHANGHAI	Hongkong, 27th October, 1890.	8 12 (Noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 3 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour.	CHAREHOLDERS are bereby notified that
Possession from 1st November, 1890.	The genuine and only Composition connected with Mr. RAHTJEN himself is HARTMANN'S	For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank	"BRAUNSCHWEIG"	U. S. MAIL LINE.	9 p.m., 10 p.m., 10.80 p.m., and 11 p.m. Special Cars may be obtained on applica-	a SECOND CALL of (\$2) Two Dollars per Share, is payable at the Hongkong and
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Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-	red.	Hongkong, 18th May, 1890[11-	German Mail. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,	LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING SAT	Office.  MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,	CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary.
MENT & AGENCY Co., 1.p., Hongkong, 30th September, 1890. [2135]	Reject äll others.  Agents in Hongkong	HUNGKONG & SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.	MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 27th October, 1890. [7	THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CHINA" will despatched for SAN FRANCISCO. VIA	Hongkong, 22nd October, 1890.	Hongkong, 1st October, 1890. [214] THE IMURIS MINES, LIMITED.
TO BE LET.	F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, 26th June, 1890   1486	PAID-UP CAPITAL	OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM	YOKOHAMA on THURSDAY, the 13th November, 1890, at One P.M., taking Passenger	FOR PALE.	FIGHE FINAL CALL of Five Shillings per
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